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POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW.

Whatever your occupation may be and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Professor Charles Eliot Norton.

AN UNTIMELY THOUGHT.

BY THOMAS BAILEY ALDRICH.

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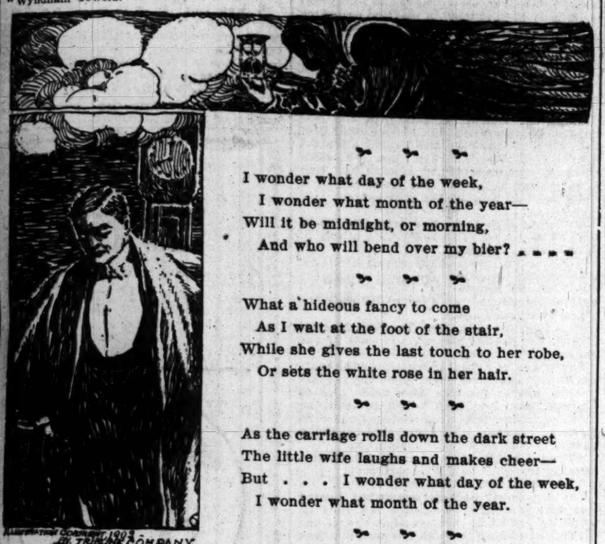

I wonder what day of the week,
I wonder what month of the year—
Will it be midnight, or morning,
And who will bend over my bier? . . . .

What a hideous fancy to come
As I wait at the foot of the stair,
While she gives the last touch to her robe,
Or sets the white rose in her hair.

As the carriage rolls down the dark street
The little wife laughs and makes cheer—
But . . . I wonder what day of the week,
I wonder what month of the year.

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NEWS—Summarized and Indexed.

THE WEATHER— FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1902.

Increasing cloudiness Friday, with probably showers by Friday night or Saturday; warmer; winds becoming southeast. The maximum temperature in Chicago during the 24 hours ending last midnight was 46 degrees at 1 a. m. and the minimum 41 degrees at 1 p. m.

Sun rises at 4:57; sets at 6:41. Moon rises at 9:33 p. m.

WASHINGTON:—

Attorney General Knox decided that beef trust, as now conducted, violates Sherman anti-trust law, and will at once start criminal prosecution of packers in Chicago. District Attorney S. H. Bethea furnished evidence on which government will act; penitentiary sentence and $5,000 fine possible on conviction.

Senator Money of Mississippi, in altercation with street car conductor over a transfer, drew a knife and stabbed him in the hand.

Friends of the Gathmann gun started fresh contest for the invention by filing protest against Army and Navy board finding.

Oleomargarine bill amendment taxing process butter was killed by the House, and bill sent to conference.

LOCAL:—

One hundred thousand counterfeit postal cards, with printing outfit, and man who issued them, Louis Smith, were seized by Postoffice Inspector at 152 South Water street; were sold as mutilated cards enameled at private cost, which government allows.

Drainage board offered to remove Washington street tunnel if Mayor Harrison will agree to temporary down-town trolley loop for West Side cars. Steamer Parnell, stuck on the tunnel, may dump its cargo in river.

Dragnet for constables and illegal bondsmen was finished by Judge Carter. Fifty cases of forged bonds, or constables who have disappeared, were discovered; will be cleared from list, as soon as located.

James R. Minor, Ranney, Wis., farmer, read a matrimonial "ad." He answered on Sunday, was married on Monday, and on Tuesday the wife grew lonesome and left; divorce asked next day.

While Sylvester Ross, Brooklyn millionaire, was away from his hotel his daughter and J. G. Darden, Vice President of can trust, were secretly married. Her father had broken the engagement.

Betting on races got such strong hold on retail druggists and their clerks that Retail association may put ban on score card displays in their shops; stores deserted for the tracks.

Admission of men to women's clubs is advocated by Margaret Drysdale Johnson of Kentucky in magazine article; letting in by degrees considered best.

W. W. Gurley, general counsel for Union Traction company, returned to Chicago and offered aid to State's Attorney in traction bribery investigation.

William Wyndham, British Consul, complimented Chicago in his annual report and scored his countrymen for not trying to sell goods here.

Polish citizens of Sixteenth Ward formed a Vigilance committee to cleanse the ward of toughs and low resorts; will cooperate with police.

POLITICAL:—

Indiana Republican State convention made following nominations for chief offices: Attorney General, C. W. Miller, Goshen; Auditor, David Sherrick, Noblesville; Treasurer, N. U. Hill, Bloomington; Judge of Supreme Court, John H. Gillett, Hammond.

Congressmann J. W. Babcock asked Wisconsin Third Congressional District Republicans not to indorse President Roosevelt and his administration at convention yesterday. He was renominated and Roosevelt ignored.

Marvin A. Farr, ex-President of Real Estate board, is boomed as Congressional candidate in Second District, against Congressman Mann. Henry L. Hertz denied his candidacy in Seventh District.

Adams County (Ill.) Republican convention instructed State convention delegates for A. J. Hopkins, and was ruled by Yates officeholders, as planned.

FOREIGN:—

Venezuelan government troops, numbering 2,200, attacked revolutionists near Cumana, but new recruits deserted and government force was routed; General Castillo wounded.

British Commons debated forcible detention in Africa of Albert Cartwright, editor who accused Kitchener with ordering Boer prisoners shot. Attempt at censure failed.

British right to use of steamship trust boats in time of war caused debate in House of Commons; reply made that agreement with lines is now being considered.

Colonel F. D. Baldwin, commander of expedition against Mindanao dattos, telegraphed Manila latter were submitting; he has orders to suspend operations.

Cunard steamship line stock advanced in London, and rumor spread that British were trying to form a rival trust.

Two hundred persons were reported killed by earthquake in Guatemala.

Chilean Cabinet quit because cruisers were sent to Ecuador.

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TRADE AND INDUSTRY:—

Railroad Immigration bureau in New York and immigrant business in general will be investigated by Interstate Commerce commission. New Rock Island station may have four stories added.

Republic Iron and Steel company stock said to have been bought by Gates interests in large amounts. Glucose Sugar Refining company earnings for eight months were $1,500,000.

First day of tugmen's strike failed to delay Chicago River navigation greatly, because few boats were moving; tieup on Lake Erie was complete, and slightly elsewhere.

One hundred Board of Trade brokers received notice from Internal Revenue department to pay $100 each for stock and grain trades which they forgot to stamp.

Apartment house insurance may be transferred from preferred to ordinary class by Chicago underwriters. New schedule also is proposed.

Wheat prices broke 1⅝ cents in Chicago on reports of scattering rains in Kansas.

DOMESTIC:—

Forest fires in Pennsylvania are burning large sections in central part of State; 150 buildings burned at Marienville. Total loss there and elsewhere will reach $1,500,000.

Governor Jefferson Davis denied charges of drunkenness made against him by Baptists, and asked Little Rock church to try him.

Two thousand employés of Alton railroad shops at Bloomington agreed to fight alleged meat trust by a thirty-day fast.

Twenty bodies were recovered from steamer City of Pittsburg wreck above Cairo yesterday.

NEW YORK:—

National City Bank will increase its capital stock from $10,000,000 to $15,000,000. It now has $130,000,000 of deposits.

SPORTING:—

American league scores: Detroit 5, Chicago 0; St. Louis 4, Cleveland 2; Baltimore 6, Philadelphia 2; Boston 10, Washington 8.

National league scores: Chicago 5, Pittsburg 3; Boston 8, New York 4; Brooklyn 16, Philadelphia, 6; Cincinnati 9, St. Louis 2.

Red Robe won Cumberland Derby; Abe Frank did not run.

Yanger defeated Attel in nineteen rounds at St. Louis.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
ANTWERP	Ivernia	Nederland.
BOSTON	Trave	
GENOA		
GLASGOW	Sardinian	Corean.
LIVERPOOL	Corinthian	New England.
LIVERPOOL	Rhynland	Tunisian.
LIZARD	Vaderland	
NEW YORK	Pretoria	La Touraine.
NEW YORK		Cassel.
QUEENSTOWN	Germanic	Noordland.
QUEENSTOWN		Majestic.
ROTTERDAM	Amsterdam	Rotterdam.

BIG FRAUD FOUND IN POSTAL CARDS

Inspector Stuart Seizes Thousands of Clever Counterfeits and Arrests the Maker.

PRESS AND PLATES TAKEN

Louis Smith, the Prisoner, Confesses He Has Operated on a Big Scale for Two Years.

OTHERS AID; DO NOT KNOW.

More than 100,000 counterfeit postal cards are stacked up in the office of Postoffice Inspector James E. Stuart, and the man who issued them, Louis Smith, is under arrest.

The plot involves possibly the biggest fraud ever worked on the Postoffice department. Smith has confessed that he has been issuing the fraudulent cards for more than two years, and it is figured that the counterfeits run up into the millions.

Following Smith's capture in his office in the Rialto Building, Inspector Stuart raided room 10 in the Hayman Building, 152 South Water street, where Smith printed the counterfeit cards. Here he seized a printing press and the plates from which the forgeries were printed, together with many thousands of the counterfeits themselves.

It is believed that Smith conducted his "enterprise" alone. The engravers who made the plates for him are thought to have done so innocently and most of the firms which bought the counterfeits are not suspected of any intentional wrong-doing.

Scheme Worked with Caution.

Smith's scheme was conducted with caution. In the Rialto Building he conducted business as "The Nerve Seed Remedy company," pretending to sell a so-called nerve restorer. He had a woman stenographer there, but she knew only his correspondence in connection with the "remedy" business. The agents of the building in South Water street rented Smith an office two years ago, but did not know what he was doing there. The prisoner himself declares that no one but himself entered the room in all the time he had possession of it.

"Enamel" Permit Helped.

The counterfeiting was made easier by permission that is given by the department to enamel cards which already have been printed by the first purchaser. The printing on the reverse side of such cards often is defective, or for some other reason the person who had the work done finds the cards are useless. Then they are sold to concerns that prepare them for other use. An enamel or often a bronze or silver covering is put over the original printing and new printing is done. This business is recognized as legitimate and many firms are engaged in it throughout the country.

When Inspector Stuart started the investigation of the bogus cards two weeks ago he struck the right trail by visiting some of the enameling concerns. The card which he thought suspicious in appearance differed little from the official card. It was one of the latest issue, with a Jefferson head, and the printing was carefully done. He sent this specimen to Washington for examination, and while the experts there were studying it continued his search for the maker.

Clew to the Counterfeiter.

At the offices of several of the enameling concerns the inspector was told that many cards which had needed the "treatment" had been brought in by Smith. The enamelers supposed that Smith was in the business of buying up mutilated cards and performed the work for him without question.

After the cards were once enameled, Smith would dispose of them in the market at reduced prices, telling his customers that he was in the business that the enamelers supposed him to be in.

By first counterfeiting the cards, and then printing them so there was a necessity for the enameling process to be applied, Smith diverted suspicion and did away with the necessity of selling his wares to unscrupulous business-houses that might have accepted unenameled counterfeits without question.

Denies Guilt, Then Confesses.

When accosted by Inspector Stuart, Smith declared he had bought the cards from business houses for his own advertising. He could not refer his caller to the "business houses," however. One admission after another was secured by the Inspector and before long Smith made a full confession.

The prisoner's statements led Inspector Stuart to a house in Thirty-first street where Smith boarded. There he found a dozen or more engraved plates and about 50,000 bogus cards. Then followed a visit to the South Water streeet office, where the rest of the outfit was found. The office overlooked the river at Clark street bridge. In it were other engraved plates on a printing press, a cutting machine, over 60,000 printed cards, and much unused cardboard.

Further disclosures by Smith led Inspector Stuart to the office of the Prent Printing company, Dearborn and Madison streets. Mr. Prent turned over about 30,000 cards which he was about to enamel for Smith, and said he had been doing such work on the same number of cards each month for more than two years for Smith. He charged $1.70 for enameling 1,000 cards.

Engravers Fail to Suspect.

Neither did the engravers whom the inspector called on suspect anything wrong. One of these men had engraved a number of Jefferson heads on a plate which was in the form of an invitation. Another had made a separate plate with the words, "United States of America," while others engraved other plates with different words or designs from the face of a postal card.

These separate plates were joined in one by Smith and thus the form for printing a postal card was made complete. Smith told the inspector that he had learned the "art" from a man for whom he worked years ago. Thousands of old form postal cards, not in circulation by the government since 1897, were discovered among Smith's effects.

Inspector Stuart knows little of Smith's history. He says the prisoner comes of a good family and is of English descent. He is said to have done some speculating on the Board of Trade.

"Department officials have long been suspicious that bogus postal cards were in circulation," said Inspector Stuart, "but no evidence of this was discovered until now. There must have been large profits in the business for the maker, as the government has such printing done for about 17 cents for each 1,000 cards."

TROLLEY AS TUNNEL CURE

DRAINAGE BOARD HAS A PLAN; MAYOR SAYS "NO."

Trustees Propose That Overhead Wires Be Allowed in the Down-Town District, in Which Event They Will Agree to Remove the Washington Street Bore—Harrison Looks with Disfavor on the Idea—Steamer Parnell May Dump Its Cargo Today.

The further existence of the Washington street tunnel depends on one thing—the acquiescence of Mayor Harrison to a proposition for a temporary overhead trolley for West Side cable system's down-town loop. If the Mayor will arrange with the Union Traction company for this change of motive power the Drainage board will remove the tunnel.

In support of this proposition it is pointed out that within two years the use for the tunnels will have passed away absolutely. It is contended that the cable system will be a thing of the past as soon as the franchise question has been settled. There will then be no possible use for the tunnels. It is proposed to anticipate this time by granting temporary overhead trolley rights.

"If Mayor Harrison will grant overhead trolley rights to the traction company," said Drainage Trustee Zina R. Carter, "the Drainage board will take out the Washington street tunnel. There will be no use for it in a few years. The Washington street tunnel is the only one for which there is immediate necessity of removal. There is water enough over the La Salle street tunnel."

Mayor Harrison demanded yesterday that the Drainage board lower the tunnel, and the drainage trustees reply with the proposition to remove it entirely.

Mayor Says "I Won't."

In answering the Mayor's demand the drainage trustees say there is no use of spending $1,000,000 in lowering the tunnels when within two years there will be no use for them.

As to the overhead trolley proposition the Mayor said: "I won't."

"It is the duty of the Drainage board to lower the tunnels," said the Mayor. "If it is a part of their work to take out centerpier bridges and widen the river it is a part of it to remove obstructions by lowering the tunnels.

"If they won't do it then the heavily laden boats will have to keep out of the river. I know it is a hardship and that it is injuring the commerce of the city. Harbor Master McCarthy has announced a rule to prevent boats over a certain draft attempting to enter the river. That rule will have to stand."

In response the drainage trustees say that the overhead trolley is a trivial hardship compared with the damage done commerce by the tunnel and the inconvenience to which citizens are put because the draw is always open.

If the Mayor were to accede to the proposition it would mean wires in Madison street from Fifth avenue to State street, in one block of State street, and in Washington street. State street already has the overhead trolley in one block.

Other Plans Proposed.

Mayor Harrison has another plan, but it could not be put in operation for a year. He proposes that the Washington street bridge be taken out after the Randolph street bascule has been put in. If the boats had the center of the river, it is said, there would be water enough over the tunnel.

Alderman Smulski has an ordinance which he says he will introduce on Monday night instructing the Commissioner of Public Works to remove the obstruction, using dynamite if necessary. This both Mayor Harrison and Commissioner Blocki deprecate as inadvisable.

Parnell May Dump Cargo.

Captain Griffin of the steamer Parnell announced in the afternoon that if his steamer is not released from the Washington street tunnel by this morning he will commence active operations to free the boat by jettisoning the cargo of coal into the river.

This will bring him into direct conflict with the Drainage board, and if the Captain carries out his determination he will precipitate a lively battle. Sixteen policemen are employed to arrest persons who dump anything in the river.

If the coal is dumped overboard it will be paid for jointly by the owners of the boat and cargo under the principle of "general average," which obtains in marine disasters such as strandings.

In addition Captain Griffin is preparing a bill for demurage at the rate of $500 a day for the time his steamer has lost. This will furnish the basis of a separate suit, as will the value of the coal jettisoned.

Sees No Other Remedy.

"It is the only thing left for me to do," said Captain Griffin yesterday. "I cannot get my boat free without tugs even if the canal is shut down and the strike has tied up the tugs. The bridge and dock surround the forward part of the steamer so that lighters cannot be brought near the hatches, and all that can be done is to throw the cargo into the water and have the Drainage Trustees remove it with dredges. It will be necessary to throw out about 500 tons."

GORTON TO RETIRE FROM CHICAGO EDISON COMPANY.

Plans Trip to Europe and on His Return Will Devote His Time to Personal Interests.

Frank S. Gorton, secretary and treasurer of the Chicago Edison company, which offices he has held since the organization of the corporation, will retire from business on May 1, and will leave for Europe six days later.

Mr. Gorton, who also is a director of the Edison company, has been more prominent in its management than any other person. The company was organized through his efforts and those of the late J. W. Doane in 1887, and Mr. Gorton was sole manager of the concern until it was an assured success and had been placed on a dividend-paying basis. The company has for many years paid annual dividends of 8 per cent, and the present issue of stock is $6,900,000.

On Mr. Gorton's return from Europe he will devote his attention to his personal interests, which are large. Mr. Gorton lives at 2120 Prairie avenue.

CONSTABLE CAUGHT IN WINDOW

Fat Stowe, Pa., Officer Tries to Follow Escaping Prisoner and Carpenter Saws Him Out.

Pottstown, Pa., April 24.—[Special.]—Constable Rhoades arrested Michael Grosscup this evening at his home at Stowe on a charge of assault. Grosscup went up-stairs ostensibly to change his clothing, but sprang through a window and ran away. The constable, who weighs 200 pounds, attempted to follow his prisoner through the window and became wedged fast. It was necessary for a carpenter to cut the frame away to release Rhoades.

SEARCHLIGHT ON THE CONSTABLES

Judge Carter Finds Some Have Forged Bonds and Some Are Fugitives from Justice.

MANY SOUGHT IN VAIN.

Others of These Petty Officers Are Acting Under Securities That Are Worthless.

ENTIRE SYSTEM DENOUNCED.

The constabulary of Cook County is to be subjected to a much needed spring cleaning. The process already has begun. Judge Orrin N. Carter of the County Court has had out a dragnet for constables and their bonds and bondsmen since the middle of last January. Yesterday he finished his work of investigation, and this is the net result:

At least half a dozen bonds contain forged names.

Twelve constables have utterly and mysteriously disappeared, together with their bondsmen.

Forty constables' bonds were so worthless that new bonds had to be required.

Two constables are dead who were supposed to be living.

Three constables have quietly quit without notification being sent to the proper authorities.

Will Run Down the Forgers.

While this is the result of Judge Carter's investigation to date, it is by no means the end. In the first place, he announces that he will prosecute his examination of the forgery business promptly and vigorously until he finds out who the forgers are. In the second place, he says he will give the constables who have failed to respond to his repeated citations a limited time in which to appear, and at the end of that time their places will be declared vacant. How much longer he will give them he has not himself decided.

Judge Carter does not care at present to give out the names of the constables whose bonds have been found to contain forged names. He is looking for the forgers and feels sure that he will get hold of most, if not all, of them. The constables themselves disclaim all knowledge of the forgeries and blame the work on the "other fellows," who, they say, got the bondsmen's names for them. Who these "other fellows" are is not as yet known, but Judge Carter thinks he is on their track.

Constables on Missing List.

The names of the constables who have failed to report and whose places will be declared vacant if they do not appear before the Judge soon are as follows:

Barry, Richard T., North Chicago.
Bowers, William, West Chicago.
Donahue, Thomas, North Chicago.
Fisher, Charles, Hyde Park.
Larsen, William Carl, South Chicago.
Lynch, Frank W., North Chicago.
Murphy, Thomas, South Chicago.
Ronnan, Herman, Palos.
Roach, Matthew, West Chicago.
Ryan, Patrick, Lake.
Trout, George W., West Chicago.
Whitty, Thomas J., South Chicago.

Three Fugitives from Justice.

Letters, citations, and attachments have been sent time and again to these constables and Judge Carter declares he has done everything in his power to locate them, but failed. They have disappeared as if the earth had swallowed them. Three of them at least are reported as being fugitives from justice, though these reports have not been verified.

The investigation of the forty bonds that were thrown out and new ones required showed at least two men who appear to have made more or less of a business of going on bonds.

"The name of Peter F. Gallagher, for instance," said Judge Carter, "was found on eight different bonds, and that of Louis Enright on seven bonds. Moreover, neither of these men had sufficient property as bondsmen. I wiped both names off the list of bondsmen. This professional bondsmen business must be stopped."

Mr. Enright is a civil engineer and ex-County Surveyor. Neither he nor Mr. Gallagher has appeared in response to numerous court citations.

Expects a Larger Haul.

"I have sent out the dragnet in this constable business at least four times in the eight years I have been on the bench," continued Judge Carter, "but this haul is the biggest I have ever had. And when I get through with my special bond forgery investigation I expect to land a still bigger catch.

"The whole constable law ought to be changed. There are entirely too many constables for the work in Cook County. At present we have 257 of them, when seventy-five—or, at the outside, 100—would be ample. There is not enough legitimate work to go around. What must that result in? Why, some of the constables must resort to illegal methods to make a living. With illegalities and irregularities in getting some positions, and the same thing in maintaining them, it is natural to expect a more or less nasty constabulary mess. Part of this would be rectified by cutting the number of constables down. Then the much-needed change of the fee system to the salary system would help still further."

PLANS MEMORIAL MEETING AT HIS FATHER'S GRAVE.

The Rev. Delno C. Henshaw Asks Permission to Preach Sermon on Centennial Anniversary of Parent's Birth.

The Rev. Delno C. Henshaw, pastor of the Galilee Baptist Church, at Robey street and Wellington avenue, plans a reunion of his father's family if the authorities of Kalamazoo, Mich., will give him permission to carry out his plans. The North Side minister wants to deliver a sermon to all of the Henshaws, and all other families that are related to them, at the grave of his father, on the 100th anniversary of his father's birth.

Mr. Henshaw wrote to A. J. Curtis, chairman of the Committee on Public Grounds in Kalamazoo, asking for permission to hold the memorial meeting in the cemetery, and is now awaiting his reply. Upon the decision depends the issuance of a circular letter calling all the Henshaws and the children of the Henshaw girls to Kalamazoo on June 10.

Mr. Henshaw believes that he can get together 100 or more descendants of his father and uncles if permission to hold the service is granted. His father was a pioneer in Michigan in the country around Kalamazoo, and the name is well established there. He died in 1871 and was buried in the Riverside Cemetery.

A GLIMPSE AT NEXT SUNDAY'S TRIBUNE.

Those who are planning to do their own moving should profit by the experience of Mr. Boggs, the optomist. And Mr. Boggs had Archie to advise him, which may or may not have been an advantage. However, if you'll look at the comic supplement next Sunday you'll know all about it.

WOO; WED; PART; 72 HOURS

WISCONSIN MAN AND CHICAGO GIRL ESTABLISH A RECORD.

Ranney Farmer Answers Advertisement of Z 16 for a Husband, and After a Preliminary Round of Letters and a Picture Meet on Sunday, Wed on Monday, Part on Tuesday—She Finds No Roses and Misses the Trolley Car—Now He Wants Divorce.

In the hitherto obscure town of Ranney, Wis., lives a young farmer who holds a matrimonial record. His running mate, so to speak, is a Chicago young woman, who required only forty-eight hours to convince her husband that matrimony is a failure. Here is the chronology:

Sunday—Met.
Monday—Married.
Tuesday—Parted.
Wednesday—Divorce sought.

Solomon Grundy's short but checkered career was not much swifter.

One week ago Sunday James R. Minor, whose thoughts were divided between love and spring planting, chanced to read the matrimonial advertisements in a Chicago paper. From the mass of "wealthy widows," "beautiful blondes," etc., he picked out this one:

Young lady, aged 18, good looking, affectionate, wishes to meet a young man with means; farmer preferred; object matrimony; no agents. Address Z 16.

Spring planting ceased suddenly to attract. Z 16 held Minor's interest. With much labor and many false starts he wrote the fair one a letter. It began, "Dear Miss," is ended "Yours respfly," but between there was a wilderness of protestations of love.

Now Z 16 happened to be Miss Carrie Hansen of Chicago, but willing to change. So she replied to the Ranney swain with a coy request for a photograph. They compromised on a tintype taken four years ago. Miss Hansen's reply to this was "Come on."

This by way of prelude; now for the drama in four acts.

ACT I.—SUNDAY.

Scene: The Hansen front parlor; Rogers group and a horsehair sofa, one end occupied by Carrie. James enters, shuffling. Carrie blushes and Jim feels all hands and feet. Sits on edge of chair, but soon reaches sofa. Carrie says, "How dare you, sir?" Jim describes his country home—a vineclad cottage, surrounded with roses and hollyhocks. Then he adds: "Say, Carrie, let's get married," and Carrie says "All right, Jim."

ACT II.—MONDAY.

Winsome Carrie is rushing northward as fast as the Northwestern trains usually rush people. At the Ranney depot stands Jim, exceedingly stiff, in his Sunday black and with a carnation in his buttonhole. He lifts Carrie into his buggy, which does seem muddy to a city girl, and drives her to Kenosha, where he parted with much money to buy Carrie a ring and a wedding dress. A train ride to Waukegan through the gloaming and a minister mumbling the wedding service. Then a drive home to Ranney—"Our home," Jim called it, as he lifted Carrie out of the buggy.

ACT III.—TUESDAY.

Love's cottage, in the pale garish light of day, looks small, shabby, desolate to Carrie, who misses the trolley car and the patrol wagon gong. Hollyhocks and roses not conspicuous. At noon in comes Jim from the fields. "Is this your country home?" demands Carrie. "Why don't you live in a wilderness? It's me to Chicago, Jim; I can't stand the country." He drives her to the station, kisses her goodby. Then the train makes a quick getaway, and not till it is out of sight does he remember the ring.

ACT IV.—WEDNESDAY.

Lake County Court record: "4411—James R. Minor vs. Carrie Minor; bill for divorce."

FLAGMAN HURT IN A RESCUE.

Struck Down and Probably Fatally Injured While Trying to Save Careless Driver.

John Steffens, who has occupied the flag shanty of the Santa Fé railroad at Archer avenue and Butler street since that company began operating in Chicago, was probably fatally injured last night while saving a careless driver from instant death. An express train was approaching the crossing and the flagman hurried across the tracks to stop a delivery wagon, the driver of which apparently had not seen the signal. But the old man had miscalculated his own speed, and was struck by the engine and thrown in front of the horse. The driver turned about and drove away without investigating. Steffens was taken to the People's Hospital, where the physicians said he would not recover. His left arm was broken in three places and the left thigh fractured.

WILHELMINA AGAIN FEVERISH.

Official Bulletin from Castle at Het Loo Says Queen's Temperature Has Again Risen.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

THE HAGUE, April 24.—The official bulletin issued from the castle at Het Loo this afternoon says there has been a recurrence of the high temperature of Queen Wilhelmina.

CRIMINAL SUIT AGAINST BEEF TRUST ORDERED

Government Will Prosecute Members of Combine and Big Packers May Go to Penitentiary.

ACTION TO START HERE.

Representative of Attorney General on the Way to Chicago to Call Offenders Into Court.

PRESIDENT BEHIND MOVE.

Knox Finds People Wronged by Illegal Agreement Among Producers of Meat; Goods in Transit May Be Confiscated.

DEALERS TO RECOVER DAMAGES.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—[Special.]—Attorney General Knox has decided that the beef trust, as now conducted, violates the Sherman anti-trust law of 1890, and William A. Day, special attorney of the Department of Justice, is now on his way to Chicago, where criminal prosecution will be instituted at once, in the name of the people of the United States of America, against several of the principal packers in that city.

This action is a result of an investigation made by direction of the Attorney General, and the doors of the penitentiary may open to receive some of the beef packers. They may be subjected to a fine of not exceeding $5,000 and imprisonment not exceeding one year upon conviction of the charges which will be brought against them.

Goods Can Be Confiscated.

Any beef, mutton, lamb, or other products in which the packers deal may be confiscated by the United States government if they are seized while these articles are in transit from one State to another. Butchers and other persons who have been driven out of business by the operations of the beef trust will now be enabled to bring suit in the United States Circuit Courts to cover damages amounting to three times the losses sustained by them.

President Roosevelt, through Attorney General Knox, today directed that the beef trust be prosecuted for unlawful combination in restraint of trade. This action was taken after an investigation conducted by William A. Day, a special assistant to the Attorney General, who in the period of three days found sufficient evidence to justify a further investigation.

Result of Inquiry in Chicago.

This subsequent investigation was conducted at Chicago by Sol Bethea, the United States District Attorney, in connection with Mr. Day, who remained in Washington, and upon a more thorough probing evidence was found which, in the opinion of the Attorney General, justifies the prosecution of the packers, who, according to the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law, are made subject to fine and imprisonment as well as the confiscation of any of their products which may be found by the United States government in transit from one State to another.

The packers also will be subject to suits for damages by the butchers and other persons who may have been injured in their business and property by the operations of the beef trust. Those who have been injured in this manner are given the right by the anti-trust law to enter suit against those who are parties to the combination, and they may recover in the United States Circuit Court damages amounting to three times the losses sustained. Bills in equity for an injunction will be framed and presented to the courts to restrain the combination from further proceedings under the agreement, which appears to the Attorney General to be in restraint of interstate commerce.

Many Firms Are Involved.

Proceedings will be instituted at once against Swift & Co., Nelson Morris & Co., Armour & Co., the Cudahy Packing company, the G. H. Hammond company, and the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company.

Judge Day, who conducted the preliminary investigation, submitted to the Attorney General the evidence obtained by himself and District Attorney Bethea. This evidence was of such a character that it convinced Mr. Knox that it was sufficient to convict the packers of entering into a combination in restraint of trade for the purpose of increasing unlawfully the price of beef and other meats.

With this evidence in his possession the Attorney General went to the White House and had a conference with President Roosevelt of more than an hour's duration.

People Wronged by Combine.

After going over the evidence presented and listening to a presentation of the case made by the Attorney General, the President agreed with his legal adviser that the law had been violated grossly, that the people had been made to suffer as a result of this combination, and that the only thing for the government to do was to institute a vigorous prosecution which would not only result in reducing the price of meat but would destroy the combination and take from the packers some of the money which they have wrung from the people.

In addition to this, there is an excellent prospect of at least some of the parties to the combination forming an intimate acquaintance with the interior of some of the penal institutions of the country. The President promptly directed that the proceedings begin at once.

For some time the President has believed that a combination has existed and today has expressed gratification that the Attorney General had secured evidence which he believes sufficient to destroy the combination and punish those who are responsible for it.

Attorney General's Statement.

Attorney General Knox tonight gave out the following official statement, announcing his action:

"On April 4 this department directed W. A. Day of Washington, in his capacity as special assistant to the Attorney General, to examine into, as far as practicable, the public charges to the effect that a combination of the large meat dealers of the United

States had been effected, contrary to the provisions of the laws of the United States. This preliminary examination resulted in instructions to Mr. Day and Mr. Bethea, the United States attorney at Chicago, on April 7 to prosecute simultaneously in Chicago and the East a more particular examination into the allegations and proof alleged to exist in support thereof. From their reports I am satisfied that sufficient evidence is at hand upon which bills in equity for an injunction can be framed to restrain the combination mentioned from proceeding further under their agreements, which clearly appears to be in restraint of interstate trade.

"I have, therefore, in compliance with the law which provides 'it shall be the duty of the several district attorneys of the United States, in their respective districts, under the direction of the Attorney General to institute proceedings in equity to prevent and restrain violations of this act,' directed the District Attorney at Chicago to prepare a bill for an injunction against the corporations and persons who are parties to the combination mentioned to be filed in the United States court for the Northern District of Illinois."

Prepare for the Prosecution.

Mr. Day left for Chicago tonight. Upon his arrival there he will consult with District Attorney Bethea regarding the details of the prosecution.

While it is true that the special assistant to the Attorney General secured evidence which it is believed will be sufficient to convict the packers of entering into an unlawful combination, he has been at work for nearly two months. Early in March he was detailed to visit certain Western States to examine into alleged violations of the interstate commerce and Sherman anti-trust laws. His attention was not specifically directed to the combination of meat dealers, but he expressed the opinion to the Attorney General some time ago that from the observations he made the beef trust would bear investigation.

Upon receipt of the preliminary report it was practically decided that the government would proceed against the combination of meat dealers, but the matter was deferred until now so complete evidence could be secured. There is not the slightest doubt in the minds of the legal officers of the government that the recent operations of the meat dealers form a violation of the criminal statutes.

Provisions of Anti-Trust Law.

It is provided by the law under which these prosecutions will be brought that "every contract, combination, in the form of trust or otherwise, or conspiracy in restraint of trade or commerce among the several States or with foreign nations, is hereby declared to be illegal.

"Every person who shall make any such contract or engage in any such combination or conspiracy, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by fine not exceeding $5,000 or by imprisonment not exceeding one year, or by both said punishments in the discretion of the court."

Another section of the law which relates to the confiscation of the property provides that "any property owned under any contract, or by any combination or pursuant to any conspiracy (and being the subject thereof), mentioned in section 1 of this act, and being in the course of transportation from one State to another, or to a foreign country, shall be forfeited to the United States and may be seized and condemned by a like proceeding as those provided by law for the forfeiture, seizure, and condemnation of property imported into the United States contrary to law."

Section 7, which relates to damages which may be recovered, provides:

"Any person who shall be injured in his business or property by any other person or corporation by reason of anything forbidden or declared to be unlawful by this act, may sue therefore in any Circuit Court of the United States in the district in which the defendant resides or is found, without respect to the amount in controversy, and shall recover threefold the damages by him sustained, and the costs of suit, including a reasonable attorney's fee."

Duty of Federal Authorities.

The Circuit Courts of the United States are invested with jurisdiction to prevent and restrain violations of the law. It is the duty of the District Attorney of the United States under the direction of the Attorney General to institute proceedings in equity to prevent and restrain violations. These proceedings may be by way of petition setting forth the case and praying that such violations shall be enjoined or otherwise prohibited. It provides that prosecutions must be instituted promptly, and the court in which suit is brought may issue a temporary restraining order. This section provides that:

"When the parties complained of shall have been duly notified of such petition the court shall proceed as soon as may be to the hearing and determination of the case; and pending such petitions and before final decree the court may at any time make such temporary restraining order or prohibition as shall be deemed just in the premises."

Under this provision the restraining order may be issued almost immediately by the United States Circuit Court for the Northern District of Illinois and the decree of that court becomes effective at once.

Trust Cannot Delay Action.

It will be impossible for the beef trust to delay the taking effect of a restraining order, as the law provides that any order of the lower court is effective until the question has been determined finally, in the event of an appeal to the higher court.

The action of the administration in determining upon a prosecution will meet with the approval of the people of the country without respect to political affiliations. It will be particularly gratifying to the housewives who have been compelled to pay outrageous prices for meat, and to the poor who have been forced to stop eating meat because the prices have put that necessary article of food beyond their reach. Demands have come from every section of the country for relief, and the prompt action will have the indorsement of all.

Congress has been importuned to enact legislation which would repeal the import duties on meats and meat products.

Resolutions and bills having this end in view have been introduced in both branches of Congress, and every one appreciated that something must be done, but at the same time feared it would be difficult to repeal the tariff on beef and other meat products without forcing a tariff discussion which would be dangerous to the business interests of the country. Yesterday a number of these resolutions were presented in the House, and today Senator McLaurin of South Carolina introduced a bill abolishing the duty on beef, veal, mutton, and pork imported into this country.

President Roosevelt's action, it is said, will relieve the pressure in Congress. It is predicted there will be a prompt but gradual reduction in the prices of meats and will be an end to the demand for legislation.

Ye Art and Artists' Corner.

The Burne-Jones picture, "The Vampire," has been so successful in attracting attention in New York that requests for the picture have been made from several other cities.

The wrought iron gates of the palace at Lunbury, built by Henry VIII. for Anne Boleyn, are for sale in London. They are handsome and have an artistic as well as a historical value.

Robert Bringhurst has finished in the clay his sketches for the sculpture on the Textile Building at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The group will be eighty feet from the ground.

An important painting by the late Sir Edward Burne-Jones, "The Dream of Launcelot at the Chapel of the San Graal," has been sold from the Ionides collection at Christie's, London, for $3,600.

The American Watercolor society has its thirty-fifth annual exhibition in the American Art Galleries. There are 479 members in the catalogue and the show fills three large rooms and two small ones.

Bartholdi, who created the Statue of Liberty now standing in New York harbor, has made a design for a colossal monument for Belfort, France, to commemorate its three famous sieges of 1814, 1870, and 1871.

Miss Mary Smythe Perkins writes that a portrait she has just completed has been accepted for the exhibition at the Champ de Mars, the new salon of Paris. She won the Elkins European scholarship at Philadelphia last year.

At the Luxemburg Museum the room closed for rearranging has been opened. Among the pictures are Whistler's "Mother"; "Carmencita," Sargent; "Street Scene," Henri; "Moonlight," Ben Foster; and paintings by Winslow Homer, Alexander, and Johnston.

ASHLAND CLUB BANQUET HALL THE SCENE OF A GARDEN PARTY.

[From a photograph taken yesterday for THE TRIBUNE.]

The Ashland club's "Garden Party" was begun last night at the clubhouse, 575 Washington boulevard. The large banquet hall, decorated with palms and hung with lanterns, was filled during the evening. A concert recital, with a program of songs and musical sketches, is arranged for the two nights. This evening Jessie Bartlett Davis will sing. The decorations have been planned to convert the room into a German garden. The affair is in charge of the Entertainment committee of the club, consisting of Dr. St. Clair Drake, Fred Y. Coffin, David Duncan, William B. Bangs, and George H. Dunkle.

PACKERS AGREE ON CREDITS.

Terms of Contract Signed by Managers in New York Regarding Payment by Customers Disclosed.

New York, April 24.—[Special.]—That the beef packers doing business in this city have been working in the greatest of harmony has been proven by the persons who have been investigating the case.

"An agreement to extend credit" has been discovered which shows how the wholesalers work together in dealing with the retailers. It is argued from this document that beyond doubt other subjects of trade relations are arranged to the satisfaction of all concerned and that prices are fixed in the same manner as the terms of credit. Extracts from the agreement follow:

"The undersigned agree that on and after Aug. 7, 1899, all dealers in fresh meats may have the privilege of paying their bills of the previous week on or before Tuesday of the following week, and to this end we will print on all our bills and statements, 'All bills payable on or before the Monday following date of sale.'

Delinquents Must Pay Cash.

"All fresh meats must be weighed and charged to customers on day of sale. Should, however, any dealer in fresh meats be delinquent on any account contracted after the above date he shall be sold for cash or check only until such account is paid in full.

"It is further understood and agreed that this agreement does not apply to sales of provisions, but does cover all sales of fresh meats, the term 'fresh meats' meaning all beef, pork, veal, or mutton in carcass, or any portion of the same which has not been cured, pickled, smoked, or canned; also all dressed poultry and game.

"We hereby appoint Arthur Colby arbitrator under this agreement, at a salary of $3,000 per annum, to be paid by us pro rata, with full power to examine our books, papers, and accounts, and to impose and collect a fine of not more than $50 for each violation of this agreement that may be proved to his satisfaction, and from his decision no appeal shall lie. This appointment to terminate by thirty days' notice in writing on either side.

Fine for Breach of Rules.

"If any party to this agreement shall disclose to any one (outside dealers and others) information as to the delinquency of any customer in the payment of his account whereby his credit may be in anywise affected a fine of $50 shall be imposed for each and every offense.

"We each agree to keep on deposit with the arbitrator the sum of one hundred dollars ($100) to secure payment of such fines, and all fines shall be applied toward the expense of conducting this agreement.

"We each agree to have our representatives meet with the arbitrator at 2 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday of each week and then and there furnish the arbitrator with the names of all parties delinquent and with the amount of their delinquency.

"No account shall be paid by note for the purpose of extending credit, or by loan from any of the parties to the agreement, or from any of their employes, either directly or indirectly, nor shall any of the parties to this agreement, or any of their employes, in any way assist a customer to pay his account.

"In case of country trade it shall be considered that a delivery of goods to an express company C. O. D. for a party who is on the delinquent list constitutes full compliance with this agreement."

LOCAL PACKERS ARE INFORMED.

Learn of Attorney General Knox's Intention and Immediately Go Into Conference with Their Lawyers.

Chicago packers received word of the intentions of Attorney General Knox to begin proceedings against them almost as soon as did United States Attorney S. H. Bethea. Mr. Bethea received his instructions during the afternoon, and a few minutes later all the local packers were informed of the contemplated action of the federal authorities.

Mr. Bethea's instructions came in the shape of a long telegram containing in substance the statement given out by the Attorney General in Washington, together with detailed advice as to the scope of the application for an injunction.

Both the telegraph wires and long distance telephones were called into use by the representatives of the packers at Washington. The full statement of Attorney General Knox was soon in the hands of the attorneys for the beef people, and they went into conference with their clients behind closed doors.

Morris Hastens to Office.

Nelson Morris of Nelson Morris & Co. was called to his office at the Stock-Yards from his residence. Regardless of an illness of a week he hurried to the office of his company and spent some time at the long distance telephone. All the other packers interested kept close to their offices also. In the evening Mr. Morris was in conference with his son, Edward Morris, and did not return to his home until a late hour.

When asked for a statement in regard to the announced policy of Attorney General Knox, Nelson Morris replied:

"I have not a word to say."

"Do you welcome the opportunity for a full investigation of the public charges of a combination to advance the prices of beef?" was asked.

"I have not a word to say."

Swift Abstains from Criticism.

Gustavus F. Swift refused to discuss the Attorney General's determination to start proceedings. He merely said:

"I don't want to criticise the Attorney General."

A. H. Veeder, attorney for Swift & Co., said:

"If the Attorney General does proceed against the Chicago packers they probably will be placed in the same position as the railroads were a short time ago. If the government begins action to secure an injunction it will have to proceed in the same manner that a private concern would. A bill for injunction would contain allegations regarding a so-called 'beef trust,' and these allegations would have to be proven before any court would take action in the matter."

Cannot Speak for Packers.

"I am not in a position to speak for the packers against whom legal proceedings are to be instituted," declared L. C. Krauthoff, general counsel for Armour & Co. "While I am the attorney for Armour & Co., the other packers have not authorized me to speak for them. As far as we are concerned, we will welcome a full and complete investigation of all the charges that have been made."

"Is it true that all the packers have agreed on that policy of giving all the assistance possible to the federal officials in their investigation?" was asked.

"Well, I do not think you are far wrong," was the reply.

Through a representative the informal statement was sent out last night that all the packers made defendants in the proposed bill for an injunction would welcome the opportunity of getting into court to make answer to the many charges against them. They will enter a sweeping denial of the charge of being members of a combination designed to advance and maintain prices, or the existence of a so-called beef trust. They will maintain that the advances in prices of beef are due to supply and demand alone, and will point to the rising prices of beef on the hoof as proof of their assertion.

Bethea Gathers Evidence.

Mr. Bethea has been gathering evidence for the last two weeks, and this, together with that collected in the Eastern cities, will be used as a basis for his contemplated action. The formal proceedings will be begun as soon as the papers can be drawn.

Bethea himself would not discuss the proposed inquiry. When shown a copy of the Attorney General's statement last evening in the Chicago club Mr. Bethea said:

"I have always made it a rule not to try cases in the newspapers. I have nothing to say regarding any inquiry that has been made into the beef situation or any plans the government may have for court proceedings in the matter."

WHAT THE "BEEF TRUST" MEANS

Charges Made Against the Packers and the Answers the Big Butchers Have Made.

For eight weeks the hand of the alleged "beef trust" has been felt throughout the country. Not only have the prices of meats advanced from 30 to 60 per cent within that period, but cold storage produce has gone up on the same scale, so far as the consumer is concerned.

The entire provision field, it has been charged, is controlled by the so-called combine of the big packing companies. One hundred thousand tons of produce and meats, all the product of last year, are said to have been stored up in the big "freezing plants" controlled by these companies, only to be unloaded at prices dictated by the "trust."

To all the charges the packers have made the repeated answer that a short supply and an increased demand are responsible for the high prices. They also have said that prices will go still higher.

It has been charged that the meat supply is wholly in the hands of the combine—of the big packing firms of Armour & Co., Swift & Co., Nelson Morris & Co., the Hammonds, Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, and a few minor companies.

Chicago has not felt the increase as heavily as has New York City. In the country districts of the middle West the grip of the alleged "trust" is held to have been unusually severe. Many dealers have been driven out of business, and their inability to pay the high prices demanded by the packers and to exact an increased price in return from their customers is given as the cause.

It also has been reported that agents of all the companies are selling at the same price. Until eight weeks ago this order of affairs was unknown. A dealer making a large purchase usually was able to "dicker" with one of the agents for a lower price than that offered by his competitors.

Figures Show the Advance.

The change in prices in Chicago tells the story of the advance throughout the country, for practically every section is now supplied by the big packing companies. These changes, which are held to have yielded big profits to the companies, follow:

	—Best grade.—		—Poorer grade.—	
	Last year.	Now.	Last year.	Now.
Porterhouse steak	20-22	24-25	12-16	14-18
Sirloin steak	15-18	17-19	11-13	13-15
Flathone shbln	16-19	19-21	12-14	14-16
Round steak	10-11	12¾-13¾	8-9	10-11
Chuck steak	10	11-12	8	10
Roast beef, prime rib	16	18-20	9-10	10-12
Roast beef, chuck rib	10-12	12-13	7-9	8-10
Soup and stew beef	6-8	7-10	5-7	6-8
Rump corned beef	8-9	9-10	6½-7½	7½-9
Plate navel and brisket, corned beef	5-9	6-10	4-8	5-9
Leg of lamb	8-10	12-14	6-8	8-10
Forequarter lamb	7½-8	10-12	6-8	8-10
Loin chops, lamb	12-14	14-16	10-12	12-14
Leg chops	12-14	14-16	10-12	12-14
Pork chops	10	12-13	Same.	Same.
Leg of mutton	8-10	10-12	6-8	8-10
Smoked ham	9¼-11¼	12-13⅛	Same.	Same.
California ham	7-8½	8-10	Same.	Same.
Sliced boneless bacon	14-16	16-18	Same.	Same.

The above prices control only in the larger retail houses. Small dealers have set their figures from one to two cents a pound higher.

Cold Storage Plays a Part.

It also has been charged that the "combine" has cornered the poultry supply. Live chickens of some age cost 12½ to 13 cents a pound. "Spring broilers," killed last year and kept in cold storage ever since, are now being sold at from 18 to 20 cents a pound.

Hundreds of thousands of dozens of eggs also are said to be in storage. As a result the price to the consumer is 18 cents a dozen. Dealers contend that 14 or 15 cents should be the normal price.

Butter has been quoted to dealers at the average price of 30 cents a pound in carload lots. It goes to the consumer at 33 and 34 cents. The "trust" is held to be the cause of this.

It has been said, too, that there is a tonnage agreement between the packers; that at secret meetings the amount of meat to be sold by each company at each of its sales houses is definitely set down. This distribution of sales is said to control absolutely. An effort to get a big allotment of "tonnage" is held to have been the cause of the recent price war made by the S. & S. company when it entered the Chicago Stock-Yards with an independent house. This charge is made by a dealer who was associated with one of the big companies when the anti-trust inquiry was conducted in 1895, during the administration of Grover Cleveland. This agreement, it is held, is powerful enough to regulate prices.

Blacklist Is Charged.

There also is said to be a blacklist among the members of the combine, dealers who seek to run independently being listed and sales to them refused by all members of the "trust." Dealers who fail to pay promptly also are blacklisted and placed under the ban by all the companies, it is said. Several New York dealers have sued for heavy damages recently, alleging that this rule has caused them loss of credit and business.

In some instances, it is alleged, territory is distributed among the packers. Agents all sell at the same price and failure to adhere to this schedule, which is set weekly, is punishable by a fine of $5,000.

Other charges are that the alleged shortage of cattle on the ranges does not exist; that the railroads are working hand in hand with the packers and keeping the marketed supply of live stock at the lowest ebb possible.

While prices paid for live stock recently (cattle bringing $7.35 a hundred pounds and hogs as high as $7.40, an advance of $1.50 to $2 over a year ago) are much higher than three months ago, it is said that these prices are in a sense fictitious. The prices are held to be paid on stock either controlled by the packers or contracted for six or eight months ago.

Almost prohibitive switching charges in Chicago against any "independents" are held to have driven the small cattle-feeder out of the market.

The railways are held to pay heavy rebates to the packers and to militate against any other shippers by levying heavy freight charges. A Central Traffic association is said to exist secretly which allots all stock and dressed beef shipments to the various railways interested, apportioning the revenues from the same, and insuring heavy rebate payments which independent shippers cannot secure.

Answer of the Packers.

To all these claims and charges, which are now in the hands of District Attorney Bethea, the packers set up a defense, in brief, as follows:

Last year's drought and 60-cent corn caused farmers to flood the market with their cattle last fall. As a result there is now a shortage of cattle that are prepared for market. The prices for stock on the hoof are the highest known in years and the farmer is the one who gets all the profit.

It is said that prices for dressed beef and other meats have not been advanced proportionately with the increased cost of the live stock; that if the big companies could not utilize every bit of waste in making by-products there would be an actual loss to the packers at present prices to dealers.

It is declared that there are too many companies to admit of a "tonnage agreement." Within the last year $40,000,000 more has been paid for cattle than during the previous twelve months, the packers say.

The packers also contend that no combination would have money enough to control the cattle and stock on the ranges. To control the stock-raising field, one packer asserts, would require capital of $8,000,000,000 or more. It also is said that the railroads are not working with the packers in any way.

To the egg "corner" charges reply is made that the packers are paying from four to five cents a dozen more than has been the case at this period of former years.

In conclusion, the packers assert that no investigation by the government can reveal any agreement or "trust;" that each company sells at its own figures and makes every effort to secure trade.

Seriously Wounded During Quarrel.

A quarrel between Peter Klupping and John Greitz yesterday afternoon resulted in Greitz being shot and so seriously wounded that his recovery is doubtful. One bullet took effect in the abdomen and another grazed his left arm. Klupping made his escape. He is 23 years old and lives at 714 Fulton street. Greitz is 46 years old and lives at 475 West Chicago avenue.

Nutrition.

The difference between ale and porter and Johann Hoff's Extract is as great as between skim milk and Alderney cream. Avoid substitutes.

BANK'S STOCK TO BE $25,000,000.

National City Increases from $10,000,000 and Makes Surplus $15,000,000.

TO MAKE LARGER LOANS.

Condition of Archbishop Corrigan, Ill with Pneumonia, Causes Apprehension.

GENERAL NEW YORK NEWS.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE, New York, April 24.

The directors of the National City Bank of New York today unanimously recommended to its shareholders that the capital stock of the bank should be increased from $10,000,000 to $25,000,000 by the issue of 150,000 additional shares of stock.

Bank Increases Stock to $25,000,000.

The present capital of the bank is $10,000,000, and the surplus is $7,166,600. By the increase the bank will become the largest in the United States not only in capital but also in surplus, for the new stock is to be offered to stockholders at 150 per cent. The 50 per cent above the par value is to go into the surplus, bringing the amount of that resource up to about $15,000,000.

When the combination of the First National and Metropolitan National Banks of Chicago is effected the four largest banks in the country will be as follows:

Name.	Capital.	Surplus.	Deposits.
National City [New York]	$25,000,000	$15,000,000	$180,000,000
First National [Chicago]	7,000,000	3,000,000	100,000,000
First National [New York]	10,000,000	11,635,000	71,510,900
Bank of Com'e New York]	10,000,000	7,221,800	64,954,200

The increase in capital will enable the National City to make greater loans than heretofore, as, under the law, no national bank can loan more than 10 per cent of its capital to any one person. Under the old capitalization, therefore, the highest amount of any one loan was $1,000,000, while under the new capitalization this amount will be raised to $2,500,000.

A special meeting of the shareholders to vote upon the question of increase of the capital and surplus of the bank will be called for an early day in June. The date fixed for payment for the new stock probably will be about July 1 next.

The price of 150 per cent for the new stock is only one-fourth of the present market quotation.

This is the second time that the capital stock has been increased within the last three years. In 1899 the capital was increased from $1,000,000 to $10,000,000, which made it the largest bank in the country at that time. Shortly afterward, however, the National Bank of Commerce resulted out of a consolidation of the National Union Bank and the Bank of Commerce, with a capital of $10,000,000. This is the bank of which J. Pierpont Morgan is Vice President.

Last summer the First National Bank also increased its capital stock to $10,000,000 by the declaration of a stock dividend of 1,900 per cent. Before that its capital stock had been $5,000,000.

Dorothy Morton, engaged by the Sire brothers to sing the part of Dolores in "Florodora" at a salary of $200 a week at the New York Theater, was a plaintiff in court today, suing for $800 for alleged breach of contract. Miss Morton alleged that they wanted her to sing on Sundays. She would not, and was discharged. "No cause of action has been made out," said the court. "I must dismiss the case."

Archbishop Corrigan Ill with Pneumonia.

Archbishop Michael Augustine Corrigan, head of this diocese of the Roman Catholic Church, is ill with pneumonia at the archiepiscopal residence, in Madison avenue, in the rear of St. Patrick's Cathedral, and it was said at midnight that his condition, which had been serious all evening, had improved. The fact of his severe illness became known to the world outside at 2:30 p. m. today, when Dr. Edward L. Keyes was summoned to the Archbishop's home.

The physician found the right lung of the distinguished patient congested and various other symptoms of pneumonia. He at once called in Dr. Francis Delafield. The Rev. D. J. Curley, one of Archbishop Corrigan's secretaries, is also a physician, and from that time onward there was hardly a moment when one or the other, if not all three, were not at the bedside.

Shortly before midnight Dr. Delafield, in response to a telephone inquiry, said that the malalady was pneumonia of a virulent type and that some apprehension was felt.

"Is the Archbishop's condition serious?" was asked.

"I should say it was," he replied. "His temperature is 102°."

Archbishop Corrigan, though attending to the duties of his office, has not been as active as usual recently on account of an accident that befell him some weeks ago. While going from his home to St. Patrick's Cathedral he slipped and fell on some timber lying around an addition to the structure in course of construction and narrowly escaped falling into an excavation. He was painfully though not seriously hurt, and it was some time before his injuries allowed him to leave the archiepiscopal residence.

Two buildings in Fifth avenue were today reported to have been sold. One was 308 Fifth avenue, a four-story brownstone dwelling house, on a lot 25x100 feet. It was bought by the Sterling Realty company from an estate. The purchase price was said to be $200,000. The other sale in the avenue was that of 87 and 89. It was sold for Henry Corn to an investor. The purchase sum is said to have been about $500,000.

Eight survivors of the sunken whaling bbark Kathleen of New Bedford reached this port today. The rest of the crew reached Pernambuco last month.

Bark Rammed and Sunk by a Whale.

The Kathleen was rammed and sunk by a whale the crew had harpooned. Chief Bowman Manuel Viero told the story today:

"We had struck a school of whales on the morning of March 17 and had killed three," he said. "One was tied up alongside. Two others were being towed toward the ship. It was about 5 o'clock in the afternoon when my boat started a buster. He sounded and we went after him. I got him on the rise with a harpoon and got him good. He sounded again, but he came up quickly.

"As he came up he saw the ship and he made for it like a torpedo boat. The line by which the harpoon was held went through the cleats like blue smoke. I had to cut the line to save ourselves. The Kathleen was only a quarter of a mile away, and he hit it just a little aft of amidships. He just stove its whole side in and the ship went over on its beam ends. The whale gave it a slap with his tail and sounded. That was the last we saw of him. The Kathleen went down in about thirty minutes. The Captain had got everybody off by that time."

The boilers on the tugboat John Ansom were blown up as the tug lay in Newtown Creek, Long Island, early today. One man was killed and three others were badly hurt. The body of John Donnelly, a fireman, who was killed, was blown fifty yards from where the tug was moored. The injured men are James Cunningham, a fireman; John Kennedy, a cook; and Andrew Moran, a watchmsan, all of whom were badly shaken up by the explosion and scalded by escaping steam. Nearly every window in the Chelsea jute mills, which are near the scene of the explosion, was broken, and in some cases the window frames were thrown to the ground.

Body Blown Fifty Yards by Exploded Boiler.

Dr. Edward Hicks Magill, for many years President of Swartmore College, the Quaker institution, and Mrs. Sarah E. Gardner of this city took each other as husband and wife before witnesses today in accordance with the custom of the Society of Friends at the residence of the bride, 128 West Forty-third street.

Quakeress Lauds Her Father's Marriage in Verse.

All of the guests and the committee assembled in the large parlor when the hour arrived, and sat down with the couple to be united. After all had sat for about five minutes the couple arose, and Dr. Magill then repeated the usual declaration of the Quakers:

"In the presence of God I take Sarah Gardner to be my wife until separated by death."

Mrs. Gardner said the same thing, which concluded all there was of the actual marriage ceremony. In this case it was supplemented, however, by a prayer and by a poem written by Mrs. Kinney, a married daughter of Dr. Magill, and read by his niece, Miss Elizabeth Sutton. One stanza was:

"September's rose than June's is often finer,
Richer the color of October's wood,
And love, in age, is tenderer, diviner,
The sacred mystery clearer understood."

Ralph M. Easley, secretary of the National Civic federation, announced today that the difficulty between the United Garment Workers of America and the Wholesale Clothing Manufacturers' association had been compromised by the granting of a Saturday half holiday the year round.

Policeman Guards Church Piano from Irate Elder.

For some time there has been friction in the First United Presbyterian Church in Jersey City Heights concerning the use of instrumental music. Some of the congregation introduced a piano two years ago. Others objected to its use. The Rev. Andrew Henry, the pastor, was an advocate of the piano.

There was no actual trouble over the matter until Wednesday night when the regular weekly prayer meeting was held. Donald Murray, who had been asked to lead the services, is the recognized leader of the anti-pinao movement. He decided that the piano should not be used that evening.

"Then I shall have to lead the prayer-meeting myself," said Pastor Henry.

"You shall not," Mr. Murray replied.

The argument became somewhat heated and Mr. Murray's opponents say that he went so far as to declare that if any one attempted to play the piano he would smash it. The upshot of the affair was that Pastor Henry called in Policeman Joel W. Pangburn, who mounted guard at the door, after notifying the congregation that there must be no disturbance, and Pastor Henry conducted the services. The piano was played.

Add $19,757,800 to General Electric's Capital.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the General Electric company will be held in Schenectady on May 5 to vote upon the proposition to increase the capital stock in the sum of $19,757,800, making a total of $45,000,000.

The tenth annual report of the company bearing date of Jan. 31 last was issued today. According to the report of President Coffin the company's profits for the last year (including a profit of $938,585 from the sale of securities) after deducting all on plants and machinery, depreciation, and losses were $8,598,241. This included dividend on preferred and common stocks, and interest on debentures of $1,907,466, and an increase in the value of stocks and bonds owned by the company.

The recent revaluation of the company's securities shows a net increase of $2,557,685. The net amount of sales billed to customers during the year exceeded $32,000,000. On April 15 only $252,000 of debentures were outstanding, $120,000 having been exchanged for stock since Jan. 31.

Travels 10,000 Miles to Save Crossing Andes.

To save herself a perilous climb over the towering Andes in Peru, Mrs. Maria Sans, a Spanish woman, is traveling over 10,000 miles by land and sea to be united with her husband. She had accomplished almost half the journey when she arrived at this port today on the steamship Albano, from South American ports.

Mrs. Sans left her home at Iquitos, Peru, on the eastern side of the Andes, about 2,500 miles up the River Amazon, to go to her husband at Lima, Peru, on the western side of the mountains. She went down the Amazon to Para and thence to Barbador.

She wants to get a steamer to Colon, cross the isthmus, and then go by boat to Callao, the port of Lima, where she hopes to find her husband. If she succeeds in her plans she will have gone almost the distance of half around the world to save that climb up on one side and down on the other of the Andes —not more than 500 miles.

WATCH THE FULLER WITNESSES

State's Attorney Hears That Friends of Accused Men Want Henry C. Hansen to Leave Town.

Charges that efforts are being made to tamper with imoprtant witnesses against former South Town Collector H. H. Fuller and John S. Murray of Bentley, Murray & Co., who are under indictment for conspiracy to defraud, were made to State's Attorney Deneen yesterday by Secretary Hoyt King of the Citizens' association. It was asserted that Henry C. Hansen, formerly bookkeeper for Murray's firm, had been urged to leave the city under offers of a place with a Beaumont oil company, which is controlled by politicians who are friends of Fuller. As a result the hearing of the case will be set for the earliest possible date. In the meantime detectives are keeping watch on the more important witnesses for the prosecution.

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This Page Contains Cable Dispatches by Correspondents of The Chicago Tribune, New York Tribune, Sun and Times.

MERGER INJURES BRITAIN'S NAVY.

Secretary for the Admiralty Admits the Danger from Sale of Lines.

MAY LOSE USE OF SHIPS.

Problems Growing Out of Recent Combine Discussed in House of Commons.

MEANS MUCH IN WAR TIME.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, April 24.—Several questions were raised in the House of Commons this afternoon in regard to the shipping combine and its possible effect on the navy in time of war.

Arnold Forster, Parliamentary Secretary for the Admiralty, said in reply that the admiralty was considering its arrangements with certain lines in regard to using their ships in time of war and the subsidy paid by the government.

Mr. Forster said the question of whether the admiralty had practical means at its disposal of enforcing the right of preempting or hiring these ships in case of war was an important one.

Admiralty to Guard Rights.

It was a serious legal point which was being considered carefully by the admiralty with a view of deciding definitely the rights of the government in the premises. The present situation of Americans buying up British lines had not been contemplated when the arrangement between the admiralty and the transatlantic companies had been made.

The admiralty, he said, had appointed a committee to consider the matter. Meanwhile an arrangement had been made to prevent the White Star line from being transferred to a foreign flag without the consent of the admiralty.

Gerald Balfour in reply to a question by Thomas Gibson Bowles, member for Lynn Regis, said that if British vessels had been sold to a company having its principal place of business in the United States they would lose their British registry.

Balfour Opposes Trust Inquiry.

Mr. Balfour, the government leader, stated that he did not think the time was ripe in Great Britain for a discussion of the question of trusts or the application for the appointment of a commission to investigate them. The statement referred to the talk of an inquiry in regard to the steamship combination.

The Westminster Gazette says: "We learn on good authority that the admiralty has taken action in regard to the 'combine.' The present uncertain position of the Cunard and other companies outside the combine is due to negotiations with the admiralty."

Count on New Subsidy Bill.

The Daily Mail says it understands that there are secret clauses in the shipping combine's agreement which will not be published until the realization of the scheme is effected. It adds that the American promoters intend to submit to Congress a new shipping bill permitting vessels built abroad and owned in the United States to be brought under the American flag. The trust will take over the entire British companies, nearly all the capital being held in the United States. The French and German lines remaining financially independent will acquiesce in the proposals or face a tariff war.

The adhesion of the Cunard line may be expected at any moment.

May Buy Canadian Pacific.

The Daily Express declares the shipping combination is trying to coerce Canada into accepting its terms and conditions as to emigration rates and traffic, and that if resistance is made the combination will buy up the Canadian Pacific railway and declare a commercial war.

Ministry of Commerce Wanted.

Forty members of the House of Commons have held a meeting and adopted a resolution declaring that it is advisable to establish a Ministry of Commerce. It is understood that the desire for such a ministry is largely actuated by the developments of American enterprise in Great Britain, especially the shipping combination.

French Line Denies Reports.

PARIS, April 24.—The general secretary of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique says the report published in the United States of a meeting between J. Pierpont Morgan and the directors of the French steamship line with the view of bringing the latter into the steamship corporation is unfounded. The directors have not seen Mr. Morgan. Moreover, it is pointed out, the absorption of the French line is impossible owing to the company's financial relations with the government.

MORGAN EXCITES THE ENGLISH.

Plans and Purposes of American Financier Cause of Much Discussion and Conjecture.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, April 25, 3 a. m.—Cunard shares took an upward leap of another pound yesterday, but only a few were offered for sale in the Liverpool exchange.

Whether Morgan's agents have been buying them, or, as is more probable, English capitalists are seeking to obtain control of the stock and form a rival combination, it is evident that the shareholders expect a sharp conflict of some kind and are holding back their stock for higher prices.

The excitement caused by Morgan's alleged raids upon British commerce is steadily rising, and is stimulated by the sensational and alarmist articles in the half-penny press.

Among the most abusive names for him is "Pirate Kidd scuttling the British fleet," and among the most grotesque vagaries is the theory that when he succeeds in obtaining a complete mastery over the transatlantic shipping he will work up a corner in food supplies of all kinds and starve out England.

Parliament Talk More Normal.

More reasonable views were expressed in Parliament, where several incisive questions were asked respecting the shipping combination and the bearings of subventions for reserving eight Cunarders and as many White Star vessels. The replies indicated that the Admiralty was in communication with the lines and taking precautions for preventing the loss of registry or the transfer of the flag in an emergency not contemplated when the subventions were made. Shipping men consider that undue excitement has been caused by the newspapers, and that the flag will remain over all the British ships now in the transatlantic trade.

They also contend that one combination will be met by another, for the British capitalists with the Admiralty behind them will not allow the control of the merchant marine to pass to foreign hands. Without doubt there is a strong patriotic feeling in favor of a vigorous defense of British maritime interests against the grip of the money power.

The discussion, however, is not intelligently conducted when there are so many uncertainties and contradictions respecting Morgan's policy and ulterior motives.

Canal Affairs Left to America.

There is little comment in the press on the new Panama Canal treaty. The whole question has been regarded since the adoption of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty as exclusively American, and the only legitimate English interest is the speedy construction of an interoceanic waterway.

Denmark's Action a Riddle.

The effect of the final action of the Danish Landsthing in postponing the ratification of the treaty of sale by the narrow majority of four votes is not understood here. It is compared with the action of the United States Senate in hanging up treaties on several occasions, but there is an important difference, since the vote of the islands by property suffrage cannot be ordered without the concurrent action of the Lower House. There is the possibility of an ultimate settlement of the question by a compromise, with the ratification of the treaty followed by a popular vote of the people of the Islands.

Ministry Given Another Jolt.

There was an acrid discussion in the Commons by Morley and Harcourt over the arrest and imprisonment of Editor Cartwright in south Africa, with the only possible retort by Brodrick that they were challenging the administration of martial law.

The affair was not well managed in south Africa and the Ministers were embarrassed in defending an unpleasant episode. The government easily defeated Morley's motion to adjourn the House in order to call attention to the matter, but it is significant that the Liberals were supported by such Unionists as Bowles, Churchill, and Russell, while many others declined to vote. If an alternative government were possible the days of the present ministry would soon be numbered.

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PALMA REACHES HIS OLD HOME

Cuban President-Elect Welcomed by Old War Companions on Arrival at Bayamo.

HAVANA, April 24.—President-elect Estrada Palma arrived at his old home, Bayamo, in Santiago Province, today. He was enthusiastically received along the route from Holguin, from which place he traveled in an old-fashioned Cuban volante. He was accompanied by hundreds of persons on horseback.

On the way to Bayamo Señor Estrada Palma's party was entertained at the camp of the Cuban company, which is constructing the railroad from Santiago de Cuba to Puerto Principe.

Upon approaching Bayamo Señor Estrada Palma was met by a number of his old war companions, including Señors Rabi, Lora, and Baez, who escorted him to the town.

The President-elect has sent a telegram to the Cuban Senators and Representatives elect in Havana, saying he would ask the American government before he assumed office to pardon all Americans under arrest or waiting trial in Cuba.

The Municipal Council of Havana has voted to ask Secretary Root to grant the pardons of the Americans Señor Estrada Palma referred to in his telegram.

TREATY GOES TO LOWER HOUSE

Danish Folkething Will Discuss Island Sale Proposals on April 29.

COPENHAGEN, April 24.—The Landsthing today passed the second reading of the majority report on the treaty providing for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States by a majority of 32. Twenty-eight members abstained from voting. The treaty will be discussed by the Folkething on April 29.

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FIGURE IN YOKOHAMA SHOOTING REMARRIED.

Mrs. Hetherington, whose marriage to John W. McConnaughty of Seattle closely follows her divorce from Lieutenant Commander Hetherington of the navy, figured in 1892 in a sensational shooting at Yokohama which attracted much attention in Great Britain and the United States. Mrs. Hetherington was out walking with Gomer Robinson, an English dandy and man about town of Yokohama, when her husband appeared and shot Robinson. Lieutenant Commander Hetherington was tried by the consular court on the charge of murder and acquitted. The ground on which Mrs. Hetherington secured a divorce was desertion.

VENEZUELA REBELS WIN

GOVERNMENT LEADER KILLED AND FORCES ROUTED.

Insurgents, Attacked in Strong Position, Drive Back Regular Troops and Completely Demoralize Raw Soldiers—General Castillo Shot an Hour After Action Begins, Leading Assault in Person at Head of Veterans—Situation Considered Critical.

PORT OF SPAIN, Island of Trinidad, April 24.—[By special steamer from Cumana, State of Bermudez, Venezuela.]—The Venezuelan government troops, numbering 2,200 men, under General Ramon Castillo, attacked the revolutionists on Tuesday morning, between San Antonio and Gunanaguana, about thirty leagues from Cumana, in a mountainous country, well known to the revolutionists.

General Castillo personally led the advance government guard, composed of Andinos, veteran troops. General Castillo was wounded one hour after the opening of the action.

All the recently recruited Venezuelan soldiers disbanded, deserting in all directions and eventually reaching San Antonio. The government officers tried to rally them, but their efforts were in vain and the battle ended in a complete rout of the Venezuelan troops.

The whereabouts of General Escalante, who was second in command of the government army, was unknown when this dispatch was forwarded.

The situation in Venezuela is again critical.

KAISER'S DEMOCRACY ALARMS.

German Aristocracy Indignant at Attention Emperor Pays to Men of Trade.

BERLIN, April 24.—Emperor William is bitterly criticised in aristocratic drawing-rooms because untitled business-men constituted the majority of his guests during his recent excursion on the Kron Prinz Wilhelm. So significant is the Emperor's graciousness toward these men regarded by the old aristocracy that newspapers all over Germany with aristocratic leanings have, during the last two days, begun a regular editorial campaign against the new policy introduced into court life.

The Leipsiger Neueste Nachrichten, of Bismarckian traditions, says: "Herein lies a certain danger for the representatives of the old Prussian traditions. The indications are that the tariff bill will create a still worse estrangement."

The Cologne Volks-Zeitung says it perceives that increasing the social position of men of great capital will make the American idea supreme in Germany.

Emperor William, of course, has the right to select his own company, continues the Cologne paper. "The public also has the right to draw its own conclusions. The Emperor properly selects the most varied intercourse; he wants to hear every side for himself, and naturally, under the circumstances, all sorts of views reach the imperial ear.

"If the men who have written on their banners 'an industrial state,' 'world trade,' and 'world politics' get the upper hand, then Germany will face the mightiest internal transformation which modern history records."

GUATEMALA BADLY DAMAGED.

Consular Officers Report to Washington Concerning Recent Earthquake in Peninsula.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—Two cablegrams received by the State department today tell of the great damage wrought by the recent earthquake in Guatemala, which has been briefly dealt with in the press dispatches. They are as follows:

"Guatemala City, April 22. — This government requests me to cable that on the night of the 18th inst. an earthquake occurred, causing great destruction of life and property. Many cities and towns were almost entirely destroyed. Loss yet unknown. Relief funds started. Soldiers ordered out to guard ruins. Particulars next mail.

"BAILEY, Consular Agent."

"Guatemala, April 22.—Consular Agent Quesaltenande reports earthquake on the 18th. Frightful catastrophe. Entire city in ruins. Consulate destroyed. Two hundred known killed; thought many more. Mrs. Clara Kildare only American killed. Great damage throughout republic. Guatemala City badly shaken. No lives lost. Shocks continue.

"MCNALLY, Chargé."

CHILEAN CABINET RESIGNS.

Opposition of Chamber to Sale of Two Cruisers Forces Ministers to Give Up Portfolios.

SANTIAGO DE CHILE, April 24.—Owing to the great opposition of the Deputies to the sale of the cruisers Presidente Pinto to Colombia and Presidente Errasuriz to Ecuador the Chilean ministry has presented its resignation.

COMMONERS SEE ERRORS IN WAR.

Detention in South Africa of Editor Convicted of Libel Scored.

MINISTRY WINS IN TEST.

One Conservative Urges Generous Terms to the Burghers When They Surrender.

CARTWRIGHT CASE IS HEARD

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, April 24.—The forcible detention in south Africa of Albert Cartwright, who, while editor of the South African News, charged Lord Kitchener prior to the engagement with General De Wet with ordering his officers to shoot all prisoners, formed the subject of a heated debate in the House of Commons this evening.

The government had its way and was upheld by a good majority.

John Morley, Liberal, moved the adjournment of the House, the success of which proposition would practically amount to a vote of censure on the government in general and on Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner in particular. Mr. Morley pointed out that Mr. Cartwright, who had served a year's imprisonment for libel, now desired to come to England, and that his detention was illegal, unconstitutional, and tyrannical. He added that the explanation of Lord Stanley, the Financial Secretary of the War office, who served in the south African war as chief press censor, that the government did not think it desirable to increase the number of anti-British propagandists in this country, was the most outrageous heard in the House since Simon de Montfort invented Parliament.

Brodrick Raises a Storm.

The Secretary of State for War, Mr. Brodrick, in the course of a reply, raised a storm by saying that, although Mr. Cartwright had served his legal sentence, the question of his liberation was still sub judice. This brought forth a vehement protest from Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Liberal, who declared that such a proposition was scandalous and contrary to the elementary principles of freedom.

Balfour Defends Government.

Winston Spencer Churchill, Conservative, also delivered a few caustic sentences, saying he hoped the House would force the government to withdraw within the limits of the law and observe the constitution.

Mr. Balfour, the government leader, came to the support of the sorely harassed War Secretary and contended that the government was justified in detaining even a British subject if it thought his wanderings were calculated to injure the interests of south Africa.

Those voting for the adjournment would be condemning Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner, in whose keeping at this moment rested their hopes of peace.

James Bryce, Liberal, and Sir Robert Reid, Liberal, twitted the Ministers for again interposing Lord Kitchener as a buffer between the government and the House. They both scathingly denounced the present action of the government as a gross abuse of power.

The spirit of revolt spread to the government benches. Ian Malcolm, Conservative, who is said to have been heretofore an unswerving supporter of the government, warmly repudiated Balfour's argument that those voting for the adjournment would be showing themselves careless of British honor, as such an incident he no longer felt sure the members of the government could say they had clean hands in this regard. War or peace would not be facilitated by such violations of the liberty of the subject.

Conservative Urges Concessions.

Other supporters of the government followed in the same strain, even Ivor Churchill Guest, eldest son of Lord Wimborne, a Conservative and a cousin of the Duke of Marlborough, urging the government to realize that its position was untenable and to make some concession.

The House then divided and the motion for adjournment was defeated by 259 to 182 votes.

The government leader, A. J. Balfour, announced in the House of Commons that an autumn session of the House would be necessary to deal with arrears of legislation.

Netherlands Knows Boer Terms.

The Pall Mall Gazette publishes a statement from a well-informed and trustworthy correspondent at The Hague, who claims that he represents the views of the Dutch government in the matter of peace negotiations between the British government and the Boers. It says:

"The Netherlands government claims to be in full possession of the views of the Boer delegates. In regard to Mr. Kruger the Netherlands government holds that no attention should be paid to his opinions. If peace is made it should be made on terms settled by the Boer leaders in south Africa.

"The difficulty in regard to the amnesty of rebels is not appreciated from the proper standpoint in England. So far as the Boers personally—that is, the Boers from the Transvaal and Orange River Colony—are concerned, they are perfectly willing to sacrifice their brothers, and they realize that as they themselves have to sacrifice something the rebels in the Cape Colony ought to be in the same plight.

Fighters Not Eager for Peace.

"The difficulty, however, is this: The rebels having nothing, or, at any rate, quite little to gain by coming in, will no doubt endeavor to continue the guerrilla warfare.

"The Boer leaders' fear is, therefore, that if after they have arranged terms these desperadoes should descend on English territory, the damage they will do may be visited by the English government on the Boers themselves—that is, that the British government, in short, may either seize the opportunity of abrogating some of the concessions they may have found it advisable to make to the late republics, or at least insist that the latter shall pay for any damage the rebels may have inflicted either to life or property. The banishment proclamation of Sept. 15 the Netherlands government considers should be withdrawn.

"The great difficulty in the way of peace lies in the form of words that the republics must forfeit their independence, and unless this difficulty can be got over by the use of a different phrase or phrases the Netherlands government is not hopeful of the termination of the war at present."

Reitz Sees Fighting General.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

PRETORIA, April 23.—Mr. Reitz, State Secretary of the late Transvaal Republic, accompanied by Dr. Jacobs, arrived here last evening, and left this morning for the north on a visit to Commandant Beyers to consult with him regarding the commando's vote on the peace proposals.

ROYAL CONVERT TO SEE POPE.

Aunt of Emperor William, Now in Rome Incognito, to Be Given Special Audience.

ROME, April 24.—The aunt of Emperor William of Germany, the Landgravine Anna of Hesse, who was recently converted to Catholicism, has been staying in Rome recently in strict incognito, so as not to be obliged to call at the Quirinal. She will be received by the Pope on April 25. The Landgravine will lay aside her incognito on that occasion, as his Holiness desires to receive her with all honors.

RISKS HER LIFE TO SAVE HORSES FROM FIRE.

MRS. FRANK MOORE.

Despite the brave efforts of Mrs. Frank Moore to save from fire the horses in her husband's livery stable at 527 West Sixty-sixth place yesterday morning nineteen of them were burned to death. The fire occurred yesterday morning. Without hat or jacket Mrs. Moore ran from her house into the barn when the alarm was first given, and gave valuable assistance to the few men who were trying to lead forty-two horses down from the second story. Mrs. Moore stood in the runway and led the horses to safety, frequently wrapping a blanket about their heads when they became frantic through terror. The flames, licking up the dry bedding and hay in the lower part of the barn, at length drove her from her post when nearly a score of horses remained in the barn.

Mrs. Moore's sister-in-law, Mrs. John Moore, tried to save her household goods and was caught in the second story of the house which adjoins the barn. She opened a front window and crawled out on to the slanting roof of a bay window, and hung there until a burst of smoke and flame caused her to let go. She was taken to the Englewood Union Hospital, where it was found that she had sustained internal injuries.

Policemen Murray and Doherty of the Englewood Station rescued two aged and helpless women from an adjoining house when it was feared that the building would catch fire. The women were Mrs. Christine Johnson, 64 years old and crippled, and Mrs. T. Major, 78 years old. Both lived at 529 West Sixty-sixth place.

The fire destroyed four barns and damaged three dwellings beside the Moore house.

BIG GAIN IN MINDANAO

TAKING OF SULTAN'S FORT AN AID TO AMERICANS.

Many Dattos Yield Without Further Opposition and a Bloodless Victory Seems Probable — Effect of Early Blow Important in Island Campaign —Numerous Surrenders Reported in Philippines—Waller Court Martial Reconvenes to Review Its Work.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

MANILA, April 24.—Lieutenant Colonel Frank D. Baldwin, who is operating against the Moros on the Island of Mindanao, telegraphs that the capture of Sultan Pualo's fort has had a most salutary effect. The dattos are submitting. White flags are taking the place of the red battle flags.

The Sulun of Annudtbak urges that time be given him in which to give up the assassins of the American soldiers, and says that the advance of the Americans will mean "bristling cannon and impassable barriers, with God judging the right."

Colonel Baldwin has received orders to suspend operations against the dattos.

General George W. Davis, in command at Zamboanga, Island of Mindanao, believes that the majority of the dattos are friendly and that they have not had time to cooperate. He thinks their alarm may cease and that practically a bloodless victory has been achieved.

General Bell reports that Colonel Hernandez, who commanded the Santo Tomes column of rebels, has surrendered with thirty-nine officers, 110 riflemen, and 100 bolomen, to Captain Johnson of the Fifteenth Cavalry.

The last of the Ladrones who have been creating trouble in Negros have surrendered and taken the oath of allegiance to the United States. They abandoned their resorts in the mountains and came down and surrendered. This was the result largely of the systematic campaign waged by the native property-owners to compel the cessation of the local strife by the Ladrones.

The lake ports in the Province of Batangas will be declared open on May day. The inhabitants of this province, who have suffered for a long time and have been kept away from their homes and industries for a long time, will return on that date.

The court-martial which tried Major Waller and Lieutenant Day of the marine corps on charges of executing natives of the Island of Samar without trial reconvened this morning on orders received from Washington to revise certain portions of the records.

FOR STEEVENS SCHOLARSHIP.

London County Council Receives Offer from Anonymous Admirer of Journalist.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, April 14.—An anonymous offer has been made to the London County Council in connection with the City of London schools, where G. W. Steevens was educated, providing a traveling scholarship, valued at $2,000 annually, to be called the Steevens scholarship, and also to pay three-fourths of the cost, not to exceed $5,000 annually, for the necessary classes with which to foster the spirit of investigation and educate men as journalists. George Warrington Steevens was a well-known newspaper man, who went out to south Africa after the outbreak of the Boer war and died there.

PLOTTED TO BLOW UP WARSHIP.

Young Sailor Who Hid Melinite Cartridge in Bunkers Arrested on Board the Charles Martel.

PARIS, April 24.—A dispatch to the Journal des Debats from Toulon says that a young sailor has been arrested on board the French battleship Charles Martel for seeking to enlist several comrades in a plot to blow up that vessel. A Melinite cartridge was found secreted in a coal bunker.

ANOTHER MARKED BY ASSASSIN.

Slayer of Russian Minister Now Believed to Have Intended to Kill Procurator of Holy Synod.

ST. PETERSBURG, Monday, April 21 (delayed).—Balascheff, the man who assassinated the Minister of the Interior, M. Sipiaguine, on April 14, it develops, had in his pocket a sealed envelope addressed to M. Pobiedonostsef, chief procurator of the Holy Synod. It is inferred from this that, had M. Pobiedonostsef gone to the ministerial offices on April 14, he would have been killed instead of the Minister of the Interior.

The Most Elegant

and serviceable finish for your skirt edge is S. H. & M. bias velveteen. It does not deface the shoes. Look on back of each yard for trade mark, S. H. & M.

LOVE LONG, WED IN HASTE

FATHER DEFEATED BY CEREMONY IN AUDITORIUM ANNEX.

J. G. Darden of Chicago Is Married to Miss Mary Ross, Daughter of a Brooklyn Millionaire, Despite the Objections of the Bride's Parent, Who Broke Off Their Engagement Years Ago — Mr. Ross Returns, Storms, Then Gives His Blessing.

Love found a way yesterday, although Sylvester Ross, United States Steel magnate and millionaire of Brooklyn, N. Y., was confident that he had cured his daughter Mary of her desire to wed J. G. Darden, a sweetheart of several years ago.

While the father was in Joliet looking over the steel mills there the daughter was at the Auditorium Annex in Chicago, answering a number of questions which were propounded by the Rev. W. J. Chichester of the First Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Darden, who is Vice President of the American Canning company, and who dwells at the Virginia Hotel in this city, was occupied similarly.

When it was all over Mr. Chichester told them they were man and wife.

Parted Years Before.

It was while the Ross family was sightseeing in Colorado Springs several years ago that the daughter met Mr. Darden. It was love at first sight, or so nearly that the father was astounded a few days later when he was told that his daughter was engaged.

Mr. Ross had no particular objections to Darden, but he did object to engagements on such short notice, and the betrothal was vetoed then and there. Tears and pleas were of no avail and the lovers parted.

This year Mr. Ross and Mary spent the winter in California, and when the time for home going arrived the daughter proposed that they return by way of Chicago. Matters of business happened to need the father's attention in Joliet and Streator, and the idea pleased him.

Once in Chicago, at the Annex, the daughter lost no time. Mr. Ross had no more than left the hotel on a business engagement than she was at the telephone, calling for the Virginia.

"I'm here in town—it's Mary," was the message that went over the wire. "I'm at the Auditorium Annex. Come quick."

Plan to Defeat Father.

Exactly ten minutes later Mr. Darden also was at the Annex, and the sweethearts were busy laying plans to defeat the objections of the parent, who had parted them years ago.

In the few days that followed there were a number of secret conferences, a drive or two, and a visit to the theater one evening when the father was out of town. Then came a miscalculation that upset everything.

The lovers had figured that Mr. Ross would not return till a certain hour and thought they were well within the time limit when they returned to the hotel after a drive over the boulevards. Great was their dismay when the first person they saw when they stepped into the Annex was Mr. Ross, whose rage was given expression before they could explain or beg forgiveness.

The father stormed and the daughter again pretended to bow to his will. A close watch was kept on the girl, however, and it was not till yesterday that an opportunity came for the lovers to meet once more.

Then another telephone message brought Mr. Darden to the Annex, and a messenger boy was dispatched to summon the Rev. Mr. Chichester. The license had been secured.

J. Hamilton Lewis, former Congressman from Washington and a friend of Mr. Darden, was at the hotel and was asked to act as best man. He consented and the ceremony was performed in a parlor of the hotel.

Storm, Then a Blessing.

Later in the afternoon the father returned and was told of the wedding. Being something of a philosopher he stormed some more, then, after urgent pleading from the eloquent statesman who had been best man, bestowed his blessing and the party sat down to a bridal dinner.

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Darden started on a wedding trip, and then came the father's chance for vengeance.

"Going on a trip, eh?" he inquired, dryly. "Well, I guess I'll go along."

And he did. All three were passengers on an evening train for New York, where the father will remain, leaving the Dardens to spend their honeymoon where they please.

CITIZENS' ORDER: TOUGHS MUST GO

Sixteenth Ward Mass-Meeting the Result of Polish Grocer's Murder.

TO NAME 50 VIGILANTES.

Committee Will Co-operate with the Police, First Seeing the Mayor.

SALOON MAN IS SILENCED.

A Vigilance committee of fifty members was authorized to cleanse the Sixteenth Ward of toughs last night. Low resorts, the headquarters of dangerous characters, are to be driven out. Dances frequented by men who make a living by thieving are to be abolished.

The committee will act in conjunction with the police, its members remaining unknown. If it is unable to cleanse the district with the aid of the limited force of patrolmen allotted to it, the committee will adopt drastic measures and proceed of its accord, within the law, to warn the toughs that their presence is not desired.

Poles Out in Force.

The authority to form such a committee was given to a subcommittee of ten members last night in a meeting attended by 1,200 persons in Schultz Hall, Blackhawk and Noble streets.

The crowd was composed of determined Polish-American citizens, who had been aroused to action by the shooting of their countryman, Peter Fafinski, and his son by two robbers on Wednesday morning.

Resolutions were authorized declaring to the Mayor and the citizens of Chicago the desire of the citizens of the section to make the Sixteenth Ward one of the safest in the city for its residents. The inadequacy of the police force to govern the ward and drive out the tough characters will be set forth and a request will be made for more men. Perceiving beforehand that there is little likelihood of the request being granted, the committee was authorized to select fifty citizens, whose duty it shall be to work secretly to stop all entertainments of an unsavory character and drive the roughs from the ward.

Subcommittee of Ten.

The subcommittee on which the first duty of seeing Mayor Harrison will fall consists of the following citizens:

Peter Kiolbassa,	N. L. Statkowski,
Rev. John Kosinski,	Rev. A. Spetz,
Alderman Stanley Kunz,	Victor Bardonski,
Rev. John Krusinski,	Peter Rostenkowski,
Casimir Newman,	A. Rudnik.

All through the meeting the indignation of the Poles was manifested by outbreaks. An attempt on the part of Alderman Stanley Kunz to bring politics into the meeting by charging favoritism against the taxing bodies of the city was howled down. When J. J. Konwinski, who was charged with keeping one of the worst dens in the ward, sought to defend himself a riot was threatened, some of the more excitable Poles starting for the platform to drive the saloonkeeper from the stage. He tried several times to make himself heard, but his voice would hardly have reached those nearest him had he used a megaphone.

Church and Citizens Join.

Chairman Peter Rostenkowski explained the object of the meeting and introduced the Rev. Father John Kruzinski, President of St. Stanislaus College. Father Kruzinski deplored the necessity for such a meeting, but said since the occasion had arisen the church and the citizens must join hands with the police in maintaining order.

Father John Kosinski, Vice President of the college, urged moderation, but insisted there must be firmness on the part of the police force and any committee that might seek to aid them. Alderman Kunz, Attorney Nicholas Petrowski, Casimir Newman, and Building Commissioner Peter Kiolbassa were the other speakers.

"I believe that the lawlessness in this section can be attributed to the dances which are held nightly in certain sections," said Mr. Petrowski. "They are frequented by good and bad; the good are led astray by evil companions, and much of the lawlessness that follows can be traced to those midnight carousals."

Kiolbassa Favors a Cane.

Mr. Kiolbassa stood for strenuous measures. A heavy cane, a muscular arm, and prompt action in dealing punishment, he said, were required.

"I am in favor of driving these loafers from the corners, where they assemble and insult our wives and daughters as they pass," he said. "You cannot wait to summon a policeman. You must use your cane. Knock a few of them down or belabor them over the head and in the face until they are glad to take to their heels. The dens where they congregate must be cleaned out. There is no excuse in a law-abiding community for a saloon that acts as a training school or a resort for thieves and thugs. No influence should enable a saloonkeeper who conducts such a place to continue."

Are Law-Abiding People.

The murder of Fafinski was discussed, but there was no suggestion that the Poles should take the law into their own hands and punish his assailants by taking them from the police and hanging them. Casimir Newman urged that the Poles respected the law and were desirous of aiding in its enforcement, not in violating it by acting as the executioners of men whom the law holds in its clutches.

The Committee of Ten will be called together by Chairman Kiolbassa the latter part of the week to draft a set of resolutions to be presented to Mayor Harrison. Then the "vigilantes"—the Committee of Fifty—will be selected and given an opportunity to organize. None of their names will be given to the public.

Ye Corner for Ye Cook.

For a strawberry sauce beat one cupful cream, add half cupful preserved strawberries; mix carefully; rub strawberries through sieve before adding them to the cream.

A pleasant fruit nectar is made by adding to a pint of lemonade half a cup of fresh strawberry, red raspberry, current, or cranberry. This gives a pretty color and a pleasing flavor.

Corn salad is an excellent substitute for the lettuce salad in the early spring. This salad, according to an old English custom, may be properly served with a rasher of bacon or smoked herring.

Lemon apple: Select tart apples. Remove cores. Unless skins are tender it is better to pare them. Fill cavities with a mixture of grated lemon and sugar. Squeeze a few drops of lemon juice over each apple and bake. Serve cold, with or without whipped cream.

When studying the common chemistry of our daily food we must not overlook the important part played by the product of the vegetable kingdom, which we are apt to consider "nothing but fancy," which serve only a subsidiary purpose in connection with our diet. We mean the salad plants.

Fruits, vegetables, and cereals make a perfect diet for all parts of the year, and particularly for warm weather. It might not be well for those who have been accustomed to the use of a great deal of meat to discard it altogether or at once, but the quantity could be diminished by a large proportion without trouble.

Prune marmalade is worth considering. Select good California prunes—three parts of water to one part prunes. When well done press the rub through a colander. No sugar is necessary. If the pulp is too thin, put in covered earthen dish and stewed down by placing dish in pan of hot water in a moderate oven.

Ye Fashion Corner.

This is to be a great year for neck ruffs.

Birds' nests perch atop a few of the new hats.

Oriental laces are especially well adapted to the present styles of hat trimming.

Lingerie sashes are promised as an adjunct of the smartest wash gowns this year.

The surplice nightgown is one of the most sought new styles for summer wear.

The magpie craze appears in underskirts of black and white taffeta adorned with three little ruffles in black.

A white linen collar to be worn with shirt waists fastens at the back and has a turnover finish, with a point at the front.

Capes of the regulation style, of bright red scarlet cloth, are the newest idea for fair golfers for early spring days on the links.

Upon the set of the shawl-like plait at the shoulder, which is the chief characteristic of the Gibson shirtwaist, depends its style and becomingness.

Short, exceedingly short, black taffeta jackets, stitched in white, and their bertha-like collars embellished with white applique, are swagger this season.

The tops of "snap" fasteners for kid gloves are now made in extra large size. Some of these are as large as a five-cent piece, and ornamented with a fancy design.

Three bands of fancy silk braid caught together at intervals and fastened at the front with a small buckle form a dainty and fashionable belt. These belts are also to be had in bands of velvet.

A novelty lace cape is elbow length, and made of white applique lace over black taffeta. It is bordered with a silk ruffle, and has a high ruff collar. The front is finished with a long black and white satin streamers.

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CHICAGO'S GREATEST DAILY.

THE TRIBUNE prints 2½ times more advertising every Sunday than its "nearest two-cent competitor," and more advertising of all kinds every other day in the week. Count and compare for yourself.

"GOLDEN DOZEN" OF NEWSPAPERS.

The American Newspaper Directory for December, 1901, gives some facts concerning the notable newspapers of the country. The American Newspaper Directory uses certain signs to denote the relative standing and merit of the whole field of newspaperdom which comes under its notice and one of these signs is the mystic symbol [◎] denoting "golden," which stands for high quality, and is thus explained:

"Advertisers value this paper more for the class and quality of its circulation than for the mere number of copies printed."

Such papers are credited with a single symbol; but there is a higher grade, according to this standard authority, which have BOTH QUALITY AND QUANTITY and require the DOUBLE GOLDEN SYMBOL [◎ ◎] to describe adequately their standing. This baker's dozen of thirteen "famous newspapers" is named in the following list in the supposed order of their merit:

New York Herald,
CHICAGO TRIBUNE,
New York Times,
Buffalo Express,
Brooklyn Eagle,
New York Tribune,
Cincinnati Enquirer,
Washington Star,
New York Post,
Philadelphia Public Ledger,
Baltimore Sun,
Boston Transcript,
Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Light of Liberty Renewed.

General Brooke has sent orders from Washington to relight the torch of the statue of liberty in New York harbor, and Liberty will probably again enlighten the world before the week is out. It is a striking commentary on the lack of sentiment, or sentimentality, in the American people that so little outcry was made when the light was allowed to flicker and die.

Will He Stay Famous?

Representative Cushman is receiving 6,000 letters of congratulation a day for his speech attacking Speaker Henderson and the Reed rules. The young Washingtonian awoke one morning to find himself famous. At present the country is interested to know whether he will stay famous or whether his one great speech will be unsupplemented and gradually forgotten. "If in addition to possessing a great burst of speed he can show he can go a distance, he is fit to win in any company," as the horsemen say.

Long Life to the Pope.

W. Bourke Cockran, who was granted an audience with the Pope during his recent visit to Rome, in describing the interview, says: "It was five years since I had seen his Holiness, and I rather dreaded this visit lest I might see some of the cruel inroads of age. To my astonishment I found the Pope to be stronger, mentally and physically, than when I first saw him. The accuracy of his memory, the sweetness of his voice, and the brightness of those wonderful eyes seem to have been accentuated rather than diminished by the intervening five years." It is earnestly to be hoped by Protestants and Catholics alike that Mr. Cockran's diagnosis of the condition of the health of the Pope is accurate. Leo XIII. has ever been a force that has worked toward righteousness and peace, and it will make for the welfare of the world if he shall be spared to it for many years.

Stock Farms in New England.

Live stock raising was a flourishing business in New England until thirty years ago, when Western beef was marketed in the Eastern markets at prices which could not be met. The New England farmer turned to agriculture and found his soil arid and rocky. Many abandoned farms resulted. Now, as a result of the high price of beef, it is proposed to bring cattle back upon the deserted fields. Henry E. Marsh, President of the Springfield Board of Trade, testifies that the recent large land purchases in Maine by an English syndicate were for cattle raising purposes. There are hundreds of thousands of acres in the Western States which, though worthless for agriculture, are perfectly suited for stock to graze over. Land of a similar character in Maine and the hill country of New England can probably be utilized for similar purposes. The cowboy has been driven from much of his domain in the far West. Is he about to carve out for himself new holdings in the extreme East?

The "Beautiful" Interne.

It is reported from New York that a woman has been appointed by the City Hospital board to be interne at Gouverneur for the year beginning next January. It is reported, further, that this woman is "beautiful" and has fascinating manners. It is not likely, however, that her beauty will be of much service to her in the discharge of her duties. The stage is the only place where beauty helps a woman to professional success. In a hospital other things are so much more important that complexion and contour are hardly worth mentioning. In fact, they may be considered a positive disadvantage as far as the attainment of medical reputation is concerned. They lead not so much to distinction as to marriage. The new interne at Gouverneur will probably find this out in a few years. By that time the New York reporters will have lost a good thing. There will be no more opportunities for stories about "the fair young medical woman for whom the policemen, ambulance drivers, and bartenders of the East Side are ready to lie down and die." Instead, there will be either an unspectacular hausfrau or else a faded woman doctor doing valuable work that does not make valuable "copy." Such has been the course of events in the past, and such it will be in the future.

DON'T FORGET—"CLAIM EVERYTHING."

Ex-Senator Chandler, or some other statesman, telegraphed in 1876 to Republican headquarters in New York to "claim everything." Whoever the adviser may have been, his advice was good, for it was justified in the result. Apparently the two honorable Senators from Indiana have not forgotten to "claim everything."

They claim that the abundant prosperity of the country at the present time is due to the Republican party; that everybody is rich and is getting richer because a high tariff policy has been adopted and enforced under the Dingley law. Presumably the ability of some of our great industries, which have long had the benefits of protection, to sell their products abroad at a lower price than they are offered for at home is the fruition of a wise and beneficent economic policy.

"Claiming everything" is simple. It is sometimes efficacious as a political principle, but it is a policy with its pitfalls. We cannot claim credit for all the prosperity enjoyed by the country at the present moment without assuming responsibility for some of the attendant consequences. If we "claim everything" that is good we must accept the responsibility for everything that is bad. If we claim credit for good crops we must expect responsibility for drought. The high price of beef is an incident we must reconcile in some way with the claim that Republican rule and national prosperity coincide. We must justify the high price of beef or show why the Republican party is not responsible for it. The farmers, no doubt, will be grateful to the Republican party for putting up the price of beef if the Republican party has really put it up—which we doubt—but the consumers are not likely to be in such a joyous mood.

Poultry, eggs, butter, mutton, pork, are all abnormally high. Clothing, too, is going out of sight. Everything man eats or wherewith he is clothed is about touching the top of the scale. Wages are going up, although possibly not in proportion to the cost of living. The expense of building operations will likely soon be enormously increased. Strikes are coming everywhere unless higher wages and shorter hours are conceded. If the general lifting up to a higher level of prices and the cost of living is a public blessing, and the Republican party has bestowed this blessing on the people, then the party deserves credit for it. The fact should be widely celebrated, and, perhaps, no better occasion could present itself than that offered in the Indiana State convention, when both of the honored Senators from that State were present and in the mood for oratory of the highest "spellbinding" type.

While claiming credit for almost everything, the Indiana Senators did not assert vehemently any paternal interest in the ship subsidy bill, the new shipping trust formed by Mr. Morgan, or the merger of railroad interests undertaken by Mr. Hill and Mr. Harriman. These omissions were, doubtless, owing to accident or to the "hurry of the occasion." Events of this significance should not be overlooked. If the Republican party is entitled to credit for them it should fully assert its title to all the good results that are likely to flow from such operations.

A political party may easily claim too much. It may assume too great a degree of responsibility. It cannot convince the public that all the good things and none of the evil things proceed from it. It is more politic to admit the truth—that prosperity is not always dependent upon the operations of man, and that hard times cannot always be prevented by an act of Congress. It will be well to be a little cautious as to claims. If there shall be a reaction, with railroad stocks going down and money becoming stringent, if prices shall fall and wages be reduced while the Republican party is in power, it may be then asserted that the Republican party, which has laid claim to omnipotence, is responsible for all untoward events.

There are some economic laws higher and more potent than political parties or human government. Their operation cannot be hastened or stopped by any administration, however good may be its intentions or however energetic its actions. There is a higher power to which governments and nations must bow when crises arise. No wisdom has yet been able to avert periods of depression which follow often swiftly and unexpectedly upon seasons of most unbounded prosperity.

THE CORONATION IS A BORE.

It will give tremendous satisfaction to the people to learn that Captain Charles E. Clark, "the gallant Captain of the Oregon," is not going to England "to crook the pregnant hinges of the knee" before King Edward the Seventh.

The feeling is fast developing in this country that the King of England, as a topic of ordinary conversation, is a prodigious bore, and that the coronation is a ceremony with which Americans properly have nothing to do. If King Edward the Seventh, during his long life, has contributed anything of importance to the welfare of his country or his race the people of the civilized world are careless of remembering it. What in the world the United States has to do with such an occasion as his coronation either officially or otherwise we are more and more perplexed to imagine. It is a little family affair, but it is not an affair of the United States family.

The King does not amount to much, either personally or officially. He is the head pro forma of a great nation. He is stripped of all real authority, but is invested with the insignia of rank as a doll might be decked out for the Christmas tree.

Yet all with one consent praise new-born gauds,
Though they are made and molded of things past;
And give to dust that is a little gilt
More laud than gilt o'er dusted.

The King's garters, his ribbons, and his orders concern Americans not at all. They owe him nothing. They care nothing about his coronation—whether he is crowned or not and whether he is King of England or not. The affairs of England and the United States would go on much the same if he were dead or retired on a pension, or "taking the waters" in some secluded retreat.

We are sick of all this talk about precedence, the minute ceremonies that are to be observed, all the dusty records of ancient traditions and observances that are to be dragged out, and the prescriptive and immemorial rites that must be observed before the poor human creature can be properly crowned and anointed "by the grace of God King of England, Emperor of India, and Defender of the Faith." The endurance of the English people under the circumstances is marvelous. One would suppose that the mere recital of the performance it is proposed to undertake in honor of this great occasion would nauseate the people and lead some of them to open revolt.

The King's bounty, which is to take the form of a free lunch to several hundred thousand of his pauper subjects, would be accepted in this country with grudging gratitude. "Free turkey" has gone out in the United States. The laborer takes his hire, feels that he has earned it, and gives no thanks to anybody for what he gets. If he has not earned it he does not deserve it. If he has earned it he puts it in his pocket with the feeling that he has paid for it well in the sweat of his brow. More likely than not he feels that he should have earned more in less time, that the world's goods are not evenly divided, and that the rich are getting unduly rich and the poor are not getting less poor as fast as they should.

When it comes to supporting a mockery of government in the form of a King Americans cannot help but feel a bit rebellious. We hope the United States will never again be represented at a coronation ceremonial. Kings are obsolete. Edward the Seventh has helped to make them so. The sooner all the pageantries and shows, the mimicry of power, the mere tinsel and gauds of office are swept away into the waste basket the better it will be both for the people and the real rulers, who, in Anglo-Saxon countries at least, are chosen of the people for the carrying out of their own purposes.

FREE BEEF FOR A WHILE.

A resolution has been offered in the House of Representatives to repeal the tariff duties on meat and poultry for the professed object of cheapening food. The Committee on Ways and Means will not report a bill to this effect. The majority of its members will contend that such a measure would do too much violence to the Republican principle of protection and that it would be unfair to the cattle raisers and the poultry raisers to deprive them of a protection which other classes of producers enjoy. To this it may be answered that as the British have done violence to their cherished principle of free breadstuffs to raise money to carry on a war, so the Americans may do a little violence to their protection principles, so that the bread winners of this country shall not have cause to complain that they would have cheaper food if tariff barriers did not shut out foreign meats.

It is not necessary to go so far as to abolish the duties on meats and poultry. What objection can the fair protectionist raise to a suspension of the duties for the time being while domestic producers are manifestly unable to meet domestic needs? The free admission of provisions for a few months might not accomplish so much good as many think, but the experiment would be an interesting one. It would furnish information which would be of value in future seasons of scarcity.

The object of duties on breadstuffs is to protect domestic producers against outside competition. There is an implied understanding that domestic producers shall supply domestic consumers with their products at prices which are not excessive. When they fail to do this because nature has been unkind to them, or for any other reason, a due regard for the interest of consumers requires that the food products of other countries shall be let in to make good the deficiency. There is in this no injustice to domestic producers. Owing to the scarcity they will dispose at good prices of all they have on hand. They should not ask to be allowed to take advantage of a scarcity to oppress the people.

Meat is dear. Consumption is being reduced in the populous cities. Many butchers in New York City are going out of business for lack of trade. Whatever may be the offenses of the beef trust it is manifest that a scarcity of meat, due to an insufficient supply of marketable American cattle, is partially responsible for the high price of meat. It is said the scarcity may be only temporary, but why not seek to relieve it by the temporary free admission of meat? The protection principle can stand a mild shock better than the people can stand a few months of meat at prices which put it out of the reach of the needy.

THE "OLD MASTER" CRAZE.

A paragraph in the "Art and Artists' Corner" of yesterday's TRIBUNE says that "rich patrons of art are fighting shy of collections of old masters which are offered in auction-rooms now and then." When alleged pictures by Rubens are selling in auction-rooms for $80 and Holbeins for $35, as recently happened, it is time for uneducated wealthy persons to grow suspicious of the genuineness of the goods offered. They are at least warranted in consulting experts.

The cheap auction-rooms are not the only places where alleged "old masters" are palmed off upon the unwary. Reputable dealers have been imposed upon more than once. Even the Louvre, the British Museum, and the British National Gallery have been victimized at times. Among all the "old masters" in the New York Metropolitan Museum of Fine Arts it is doubtful whether more than one or two are genuine. The Boston Museum of Fine Arts has been deceived more than once. This being the case, it is more than likely that our own Art Institute may also have "old masters," the work of pupils or of forgers, hanging upon its walls.

It is not safe to assert authenticity for an "old master" until its pedigree has been established beyond doubt or its genuineness established by the microscopic methods of the expert. As a writer in a recent issue of the Fortnightly Review states, pictures are the favorite objects of the forgers. They work with consummate skill, aided with all the modern discoveries of chemistry, upon old panels on which time has left a few traces of paint. The foundations, cracks, and fissures are preserved, and on them they build up work in the old Florentine or Flemish methods, and with the aid of glazes and varnishes produce the effect of centuries of wear. The old Renaissance frames are forged with equal skill, "and panel and frame are sent out into the world either to fetch a huge price from some rich collector or public museum, or, at the worst, if luck be against them, to be snatched up by a less experienced purchaser for what he considers a mere trifle." Under such circumstances the safest thing for the wealthy purchaser is not to purchase "old masters," but give his commissions to modern living masters, most of whom need the money just as much and deserve it far more than the forgers.

Flowers for the Children.

Ten thousand school children live in the Eleventh School District of New York, which district is considerably less than one mile square. The greater number of these children have probably never seen a growing flower. A teacher in one of the schools of that district, realizing the pleasure which a sight of a blossoming plant would bring to the children, took it upon herself one morning to carry a pot containing a live geranium from room to room of the school. Mrs. Henry Parsons of the School board happened to be in a room which the teacher entered carrying the flower. The children showed such varied emotions of delight on seeing the geranium that Mrs. Parsons determined to provide each of the little ones with an especial bud for Arbor day. Accordingly she set out to collect the $300 necessary to buy growing flowers for the 10,000 children of the district. She has made a fair start and will probably collect the money. She deserves to do so, for hers is an excellent charity, and not the least important contribution that has recently been made to education in that district.

NEW SUBWAY PROBLEM IN BOSTON.

After having satisfactorily settled one subway problem, the people of Boston are now confronted with another. The existing subway has relieved the congestion on one important thoroughfare. The proposed new subway is for the relief of Washington street, a still more important thoroughfare, and one which is exceedingly crowded owing to its narrowness. Last year the elevated road people made an effort to secure a franchise for it, and they are still at work, though in a way which does not give popular satisfaction.

The question at issue is by whom shall it be built, and, if by the elevated road, how long shall it be controlled by it? The elevated road corporation desires either a long-time lease or actual ownership. Either condition would give it absolute dictation in the future of the policy of railroad transportation in Boston. The popular demand, on the other hand, is for public ownership of the subway, and a lease so drawn that the corporation shall be subject to the will of the community.

So far as the attitude of the leaders of both political parties is concerned, municipal ownership is the solution of the problem. The Governor and Lieutenant Governor, ex-Mayor Hart and Mayor Collins favor a law allowing the city to build, own, and control the subway, with the people's rights protected by a referendum. Such a bill is now pending in the Legislature giving the city authority to construct the subway and lease it for a term of twenty years at a rental equal to 4⅞ per cent of its cost, which is the same rental as that now paid by the elevated road for the existing subway. The construction is not to begin until the bill has been accepted by the people and the lease signed.

With one or two amendments, which do not affect the substance of the bill, it is favored by the Public Franchise league, the Associated Board of Trade, the Building Trades council, and the State Branch of the Federation of Labor, and all these organizations are working together for the passage of the bill. The elevated railroad corporation, on the other hand, is vigorously working for delay, with the hope that in another year there may be a new set of officials in the city government more favorably disposed to corporations. As the condition of the street is growing worse and worse, and the people are becoming more and more impatient, the pressure upon the Legislature probably will be too strong for the corporation to overcome. Undoubtedly the bill will soon be passed, and the referendum will result in favor of municipal ownership by a large majority. In that case the people, through their representatives, will have something to say as to rates and the general policy of management.

LORD KELVIN'S OPINIONS.

While Lord Kelvin was in New York he was asked a great many different questions. His answers were always interesting. Two of them are worth reproduction.

With regard to the Marconi wireless telegraphy system he thought that the cable companies had no real reason to feel alarmed. "The new agency will supplement the old one. It will not supplant it. In fact, by popularizing transoceanic telegraphy it may even benefit it." This will be a cordial to the hearts of the cable companies' stockholders.

In the second place, with regard to the report that Professor J. J. Thomson of Cambridge, England, had detected the existence of particles about one-thousandth as large as an atom of hydrogen, he said that the thing was possible, credible, and not specially surprising. The electrical theory of atoms had made physicists familiar with the thought of bodies of less than atomic size. This is important not only for scientists but for people in general. We shall have a change now in popular phraseology. Our ideas of smallness will have to be revised. In Romeo and Juliet Queen Mab is drawn by a team of little atomies. The atomies do not appeal to one's imagination so strongly now as they did before they came into competition with Professor Thomson's reduced facsimiles. An atomy is nothing, or, rather, it is too much, a thousand times too much. The discovery of the extremely distant stars accustomed one to think of limitless space. Professor Thomson's particles will accustom one to think of almost limitless want of space.

The old question of how angels could perch on the point of a pin will be superseded from now on. The point of a pin is gross; it is a Salisbury plain, a Thibetan plateau, a Saharan desert compared with the things present day science has revealed. One must no longer call a small man a flea. A flea is a mammoth. It is among the stupendous products of evolution. The only difficulty is that there seems to be no name for Professor Thomson's discoveries. Let us have a name as soon as possible. It is needed. Until it comes there will be a gap in one's vocabulary of comparison and abuse.

The Cause of Marine Phosphorescence.

The Lancet has had a most interesting article lately on the cause of the phosphorescence which one sometimes observes in the water out at sea. No one who has leaned over the side of a vessel and watched the little gleaming particles as they passed by ever forgets his experience. The effect on one's mind is indelible, and the thought that usually occurs to one is connected with the beauty of God's world. It now appears, however, that this beauty is but a phase of disease. A "pathogenic and luminiferous bacterium" invades the marine animals concerned and does them to death. While they are dying and for some hours afterwards they give off the brilliant light which has entertained many a crowd of passengers on a summer evening. One has here a kind of swan song in color. One does not need, however, to go to sea in order to find color in disease and death. One can find it in the North Branch of the Chicago River. The foul gases which rise from the bottom of the river break in bubbles on the surface and coat the water with the most dazzling greens, reds, and purples that nature can produce. This beautiful phenomenon reconciles many people to a short halt on the bridges. The impurity round about contrasting with the clearness of the floating colors makes a picture worth painting. As for the diminutive sea creatures whose death results in the phosphorescence men have admired one cannot help feeling what may be a fantastic pity for their fate. They are so beautiful that one might wish they were a part of eternal nature and lived forever.

THE British lion will squirm now. Senator Bailey of Texas has the animal firmly by the tail.

THE trouble with Senator Money, the statesman from Mississippi, seems to be an overheated temper.

CHICAGO'S cable railway system becomes more expensive as it becomes more antiquated.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Modern Definition.

"Johnny, what is central time?"

"Central time, ma'am, is the time the telephone girl keeps you waitin' while she gits ready to say 'hello!'"

A Waiver.

Britannia rules the wave,
As we were told at school,
But the world begins to crave
The right to waive the rule.

Limitations.

"For all your superior airs," said the snake, "my reputation for wisdom is fully as good as yours."

"This is the first time," replied the owl, with bitterness, "that I have had occasion to find fault with nature for fixing my eyes immovably in their sockets. I am compelled to take the trouble of moving my head in order to look at you!"

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Little drops of water,
Little grains of dirt,
They never do a thing
To the trailing skirt!

Could Do Either.

"Do you need a low comedian?" asked the caller.

"A low comedian!" echoed the amusement manager, looking in amazement at the 6 foot 8 inch applicant. "Great Scott!"

"Well, if not, do you need a giant?" demanded the other, with some irritation of manner.

Homeopathic.

"If everybody would quit eating meat and use soup in its stead," observed the doctor, "the price of roast beef would soon come down."

"Do you think," said the professor, "you can knock out the beef trust with a soup bone?"

A BEAR trap dam a short distance below the Washington street tunnel would result in a considerable saving in other forms of profanity.

ON the other hand, if beef were only two or three cents a pound hardly anybody would take the trouble to eat it.

ABOUT the only way to "improve the navigation" of the Missouri River would be to abolish the railways.

AN attack of overheated conscience might hurry up Chicago's new postoffice a little.

SECRETARY SHAW is described as being "homely as a hedge fence." Be of good cheer, Mr. Shaw. A hedge fence, properly trimmed, is a thing of beauty.

IT is estimated that the immigration to America this year will reach a total of 500,000. Think of it! Half a million benighted foreigners, who have never read Editor Bryan's Commoner and are ignorant of the perils that await them in this republican country, rushing headlong to destruction! Can't something be done, even yet, with half a million postal cards?

IN lieu of taking up a popular collection for the purpose of increasing the efficiency of the Fire department you will pay a little more for your insurance hereafter.

A TUGMEN'S strike will effectually block what little navigation the Washington street tunnel still permits to exist in the Chicago River.

BIRDS THAT DRINK SEA WATER.

[From Chambers' Journal.]

"In 1881, while resident on Gazelle Peninsula, the northern portion of the magnificent Island of New Britain, in the South Pacific, I had many opportunities of witnessing both cockatoos and wild pigeons drinking salt water. I was stationed at a place called Kabaira, the then 'farthest-out' trading station on the whole island; and as I had but little work to do I found plenty of time to study bird life in the vicinity. Parrots of several varieties, all of beautiful plumage, were plentiful; and great flocks of white cockatoos frequented the rolling, grassy downs which lay between my home and the German head station in Blanche Bay, twenty miles distant, while the heavy forest of the littoral was the haunt of thousands of pigeons. These pigeons, though not so large as the Samoan or eastern Polynesian bird, formed an agreeable change of diet for us white traders, and by walking about fifty yards from one's door half a dozen or more could be shot in as many minutes.

"My nearest neighbor was a German, and one day, when we were walking along the beach toward his station, I noticed some hundreds of pigeons fly down from the forest, settle on the margin of the water, and drink with apparent enjoyment. The harbor at this spot being almost landlocked, and the water as smooth as glass and without the faintest ripple, the birds were enabled to drink without wetting their plumage. My neighbor, who had lived many years in New Britain, told me that this drinking of sea water was common to both cockatoos and pigeons alike, and that on some occasions the beaches would be lined with them, the cockatoos not only drinking but bathing, and apparently enjoying themselves greatly. During the next six months, especially when the weather was calm and rainy, I frequently noticed pigeons and cockatoos come to the salt water to drink.

"At first I thought that, as fresh water in many places bubbled up through the sand at low tide, the birds were not really drinking the sea water, but by watching closely I distinctly saw them walk across these tiny runnels without making any attempt to drink. Then, too, the whole of the Gazelle Peninsula is cut up by countless streams of water, and rain falls throughout the year as a rule. What causes this unusual habit of drinking sea water? Another peculiarity of the New Britain and New Ireland pigeon is its fondness for the chili-pepper berry. During three months of the year, when these berries are ripe, the birds' crops are full of them, and often their flesh is so pungent and smells so strongly of the chili as to be quite uneatable."

Dives and Lazarus.

[From the St. Louis Republic.]

That is a curious and pitiful contrast between extremes which is furnished by the promised dinner of King Edward to the destitute poor of London. According to the cablegrams, the Mayors of the various London boroughs have fixed July 5 as the date for the dinner to commemorate his coronation.

There will be 500,000 guests of the King on this occasion. Aside from the public subscriptions, the King has given $150,000 for their entertainment. For a few short hours this submerged twelfth of London will try to forget its squalor by partaking of the ruler's generosity.

Well could the Ministers forget the sumptuous details of the coronation or the maintenance of English pride in south Africa for earnest contemplation of the problem which is presented by the mere fact that a half million people are glad to get one square meal. If, as the statisticians claim, one person in twelve is destitute in London, what other civilized community can present such a picture?

Is there not far more danger in the presence of such a horde of poverty-stricken citizens than in the activity of the Boers? Where is the statesman who can cope with such a condition? To Americans such a state of affairs seems incongruous. If there were such a percentage of destitute poor in any city of the United States, the industrial interests would feel that danger was simmering and likely to explode.

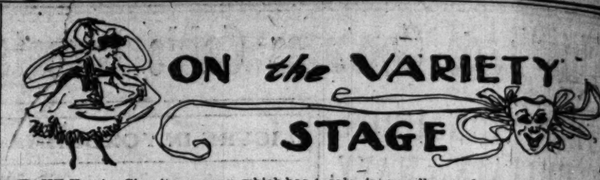
The College Girl Joke.

[From the Washington Times.]

'Tis the joke of the humorous pages,
Year in and year out, without change—
A college girl feebly engages
In hopeless affray with a range;
She's pictured dismayed by the riddle
Of dusting and sweeping a room,
Undone at the sight of a griddle,
And utterly floored by a broom.

If a girl has the brains and the ardor
To excavate roots in the Greek,
Will she quail at the roots of the larder,
At commonplace carrot and leek?
Is a mind coming forth from the campus,
Well versed in the knowledge of "pi,"
To be daunted by pastry and dampers?
It's (pardon me) all in your eye!

A girl may be up in her Homer,
Whose cooking is simply immense;
Believe me, a college diploma
Has never destroyed common sense,
And the picture that's true will endow her
With strength that will brook no defeat,
Triumphant in wisdom and power,
A cooking stove prone at her feet.



THE Empire Circuit company, which has just taken control of Hopkins' Theater down on State street, is to try what is practically a new experiment in Chicago. They will put on two shows a day, fourteen a week, making up a program which is a sandwich of burlesque and vaudeville. The Empire Circuit controls seventeen theaters is as many cities and has made booking arrangements with twenty-three others, so that altogether there are no less than forty houses playing the same class of

"SAY, IS THE DIME MUSEUM HERE YET?"

attractions on what is known as the "Wheel."

Beginning in New York the circumference of this "Wheel" runs in a wide circle far out to the North and West and swings back again through the South and East to the starting point. The plan of the circuit is to book in advance forty combination burlesque and vaudeville companies, starting them at different points around the wheel and making a general shift at the end of each week. In this way it is expected that for each of the forty weeks of the vaudeville season there will be a new company at each of the forty theaters in the "Wheel."

Here, then, will be regular and continuous employment for more than 1,200 burlesque and variety actors and actresses. The plan is only a few weeks old in Chicago, but Joseph Barrett, the local manager, has every confidence that it will win here as it has done elsewhere. It is expected that during the coming season Hopkins' Theater will be entirely renovated and refurnished.

The wife of a well-known amusement purveyor of Chicago recently visited a health resort located to the south of the city. She is well known locally for her looks and style of apparel and her coming to the resort had evidently been heralded among the guests at the hotel.

She arrived at the hotel one day last week, and just as she walked up to the desk to register two young women, guests of the hotel, all unconscious of her identity, stepped up and asked the clerk about her coming.

"Say, is the dime museum here yet?"

The woman from Chicago saved the embarrassed clerk the trouble of replying.

"Yes," she answered sweetly, looking at the two young women, "here she is. But she is evidently late, as two freaks got here ahead of her."

Over at the Dearborn Theater they have recently been rehearsing candidates for the

"CAN'T I SING THE MAD SCENE?"

chorus of the new summer show, "The Storks." At a given hour young women who applied for work were told to appear at the manager's office for the purpose of having their voices tested.

They came. They came in scores, and each of them brought with her a more or less enormous bundle of music. The musical director of the theater and some of his chief assistants were gathered about the piano. One by one the young women were called forward, and each of them before advancing got out at least three vocal selections ready for the managerial ear. Each of them was convinced that the beauties of her voice could not be properly exhibited by singing a single selection, so their wrath may be imagined when they were told that time would not permit even that much of an exhibition.

"Why, ladies," explained the manager, "if I let each of you sing all of the selections

WHEN THE SEASON IS OVER.

you have brought with you I should be here until week after next. Now, absolutely all I've got time for is to hear each girl run over the scale a couple of times."

Some of the girls wept, some stalked indignantly out of the theater, taking their music and their voices with them, while some recognized the inevitable and ran the scale as best they could. But the climax came when one persistent young creature, in spite of the warning, started to sing the mad scene from "Lucia," and railed at the cruelty of the musical director when, to preserve peace in the ranks, he was forced to stop her.

However, he was a wise manager. He did not announce any decisions on the spot. Instead he took the name of each young woman, put opposite it a few cabalistic symbols, and told her that if she were needed he would send her word. Thus they were all sent away without exciting any more tears and wrath than seemed to be absolutely necessary.

"I have been out in the tall grass playing one-night stands," said the traveling manager. "Most of our dates have been in little towns where the opera-house is a converted roller skating rink or a big hall over the corner grocery. In those towns the advance sale is usually conducted by the village druggist. He has a plat of the "opry-house" on his counter, and when he sells a seat he sticks a thumb tack in to mark the reserved spot. Thus we can tell by glancing at the number of thumb tacks in the plat just how good the sale has been. But I met one follow on this trip who reversed the process and almost broke my heart.

"We got into town late, tired and too near broke to be at all comfortable. On the way up to the hotel I glanced in through the druggist's window and noticed with more joy than I could express that the plat of the opera-house was almost full of thumb tacks. That put me in great spirits at once, and I gave different members of the company most of the small change I had in my clothes, feeling sure that the advance sale would put me on Easy street.

"I left the company at the hotel and hurried back to the drug store. "'Well,' I said to the old druggist, 'I see we've had a great advance sale?'

"'I dunno what you call a great sale, Mister,' he replied. 'I've sold jest twelve a them reserved half-dollar seats.'

"'What!' I cried; 'why the plat is full of thumb tacks.'

"'Yes,' he answered, 'an' the fuller it is the smaller the sales. I sticks a tack in every seat when I starts out, an' whenever I sells a ticket I pulls one of 'em out. See?'

"I saw, and nothing but the fact that we had a good house that night, after all, saved me from seeing the inside of the county jail on a charge of swindling the hoteikeeper."

There is one sketch team now playing in Chicago which has been in the variety and vaudeville business for more than twenty years—at least so far as its two elder members are concerned. The team consists of "two people and a kid," and, at the height of its prosperity, it has never earned a salary of more than $75 a week. When it is in luck it works, perhaps, twenty weeks out of the year. The rest of the time it devotes to the active management of a little bakery in a Michigan village, which, while father, mother, and the youngest daughter are "on the

"A GREAT ADVANCE SALE."

road," is looked after by the two elder daughters of the family. For twenty years the man and woman have been wearing practically the same style of ridiculous clothes and doing practically the same kind of a song and dance act on the stage. Ever since the continuous started they have been far down in the "supper bill." Yet they are both still firm in the belief that some day, when they find a manager who really knows a good thing, they will be made headliners and have their salary boosted up into three big figures. That seems to be one of the strangest things about the theatrical business. Men and women in other lines of work gradually lose their illusions and revise their ideas of their own importance, but actors rarely, if ever. To the end they persist in thinking that it is a conspiracy between managers and public which keeps them from bursting out into four-sheet posters as stars of the first magnitude.

GREAT VICTIMS OF GOLF.

Harlan, Miles, McMillan, and Hale Do Early Work on the Golf Links.

[From the New York World.]

Washington, D. C., April 21.—Early this morning—before half-past 7—two golfers arrived at the Chevy Chase course. They met Justice Harlan of the Supreme Court at the clubhouse.

"Ah, Mr. Justice," said one of the golfers, "you are an early bird, I see. Are you going 'round the course now?"

"Going 'round now," snorted the ponderous Justice. "Why, young man, I've played eighteen holes this morning."

The man at the clubhouse said the Justice arrived at daybreak.

Justice Harlan is a golfiac. He says it is the greatest game in the world. He plays several times a week. He is more than six feet tall, weighs fully 300 pounds, and has a deep chest and shoulders a yard across. When he hits a ball squarely it goes soaring through the air for yards and yards.

There is one hole on the Chevy Chase links called "Harlan's hole." In some wonderful manner the Justice once made the hole in one stroke. He drove the ball off the tee and it rolled into the hole. The caddy spent half an hour looking for the ball in the high grass, while the Justice fumed and fretted. Then somebody shouted:

"Why, here's your ball in the hole!"

The Justice was so proud that he would play no more that day. No one has duplicated the feat.

Another golfer in official life is General Miles. The General and the Justice frequently play against each other, seriously and strenuously. It is related that General Miles once went to the links of a club in a Southern city.

"Boy," he said to his caddy on the fourth link, "how long is this one?"

"One hundred and ninety-seven yards, General," the caddy replied.

"Ah," said the General, "a drive and a put."

He teed up his ball and struck at it viciously. Instead of hitting fairly he "topped" it. The ball rolled a few yards in a sickly sort of way and then stopped.

"That's all right, General," said the caddy, reassuringly; "now for a darn long put."

It is related with great glee that Senator McMillan, also a golfer, took Senator Hale out with him one day to go around the course. Senator Hale had never played golf before. Senator McMillan picked out a good caddy for him and they started out. The boy made a nice little tee for Senator Hale, placed the ball on it, and stood back respectfully. Senator Hale looked at the ball in a helpless sort of way, and then made a smash at it with the driver. He plowed up the ground behind it, but did not touch the ball.

"Boy," he said to the caddy, "what did I hit?"

"The District of Columbia, sir," the caddy replied.

The Cost of Municipal Misrule.

[From the Sanitarium Magazine.]

The cost of typhoid to Philadelphia is thus estimated by the engineer in charge of the construction of the filtration works of Philadelphia:

"I shall roughly estimate the financial loss to this city during the year 1900 from typhoid fever alone. The report of the Bureau of Health states the number of deaths from typhoid fever to be 449. Placing a valuation of $5,000 on each life, we have a loss to the city of $2,245,000. Other losses as follows: Burial expenses of 449 people, at $40, $17,960; 8,227 cases of typhoid fever requiring medical attention, at $30 a case, $96,810; and 82,369 days lost from employment, at $2 a day, $166,630, brings the grand total of $2,021,190 loss from the ravages of one disease for a single year. If this sum were to be expended as interest on a sinking fund at 5 per cent for thirty years, it would give to the people of this city a sum of $134,300,000 to expend in preventing typhoid fever alone."

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SENATOR USES A KNIFE IN FIGHT.

Money of Mississippi Cuts the Hand of Conductor Who Attacks Him.

ROW OVER DOUBLE FARE.

Ousted from Street Car, Southerner Grows Indignant; Demands Man's Discharge.

GOSSIP OF CAPITAL CITY.

WASHINGTON BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE }
Washington, D. C., April 24. }

Hernando D. Money, United States Senator from Mississippi, was put off a car literally within the shadow of the Capitol by the united effort of the conductor and a fireman, and in retaliation drew a penknife and stabbed the conductor in the hand, inflicting a severe but not dangerous wound. Senator Money by his own statement violated the rules of the street car company by insisting on riding without paying his fare or producing a transfer.

Senator Ousted from Street Car Uses a Knife.

The conductor followed the usual rule in such cases, stopped the car, and attempted to put off the passenger, not knowing that he was a Senator of the United States. Mr. Money clung to the support of the open car and acted in such an obstinate fashion that a husky young fireman went to the assistance of the conductor, and between the two they pushed the Senator off the car to the pavement.

Toward the close of the scuffle Senator Money was hit by the fireman, and in retaliation drew from his pocket a small penknife and opened the blade. Just at that time the conductor made a pass at the Senator and received the blade of the knife in the right hand. Thereupon the conductor struck the Senator, and more serious injuries might have followed had it not been for the interference of other passengers.

An odd thing about the affair is that Senator Money immediately went before a justice of the peace and swore out warrants for the arrest of the conductor and the fireman. In making the charge the Senator admitted that he had insisted on riding without paying his fare, but claimed that the conductor saw him get off another car, and therefore knew he was entitled to another transfer, although he had none to present.

Senator Money has considerable of a reputation as a fighter, and he has not hesitated to quarrel with some of his colleagues in Congress. Five years ago, when a member of the House, Mr. Money had a quarrel in the Committee on Naval Affairs with Representative Hall of Missouri. During a heated discussion in the committee, Hall intimated that Money had misrepresented matters and practically charged him with lying.

Money Lives Up to Reputation as a Fighter.

Immediately Money seized a bottle of ink, which was the first thing at hand, and promptly threw it at Hall, creating a scandalous commotion in the committee and precipitating a considerable quantity of ink over the members.

Senator Money was up against a hard proposition today, however, because he is not as young as he was when he served as a gallant soldier in the confederate army. The Senator is now nearly 63 years old. He was forced to retire from the confederate army because of defective eyesight. Before being elected to the Senate he served seven terms in the House. He was known there as he has been since in the Senate, as a hot-tempered man.

Like many other of the Democrats in the Senate, Money has made a specialty of sympathy for the Filipinos, and the Republican Senators this afternoon were not slow to comment on the fact that while Senator Money was so nervous about hurting the feelings of the enemies of his country he had not hesitated himself to draw a knife on a street car conductor who was only doing his duty, and then later on had attempted to use his position as a Senator to secure the discharge of the conductor by the street car company, and the dismissal of the fireman who helped the conductor, from the service of the United States.

Bitter condemnation of Senator Money's fracas of this morning was heard all over the Senate, and the opinion was generally expressed that it was only the natural sequence to the personal encounter between the two South Carolina Senators.

Senator Money's son was involved in a criminal trial down in Mississippi years ago, in which a charge of murder was made, but not sustained.

There is more than general interest manifested here in the fate of the conductor and the fireman. The inevitable rule has been here that any one who interferes with a Senator of the United States gets the worst of the encounter in the long run. O. H. Shaner, the conductor, was undoubtedly cut by a knife in the hands of Senator Money, and the Senator admits that he drew the knife to defend himself, although he insists that the conductor cut his own hand by attempting to secure possession of the knife.

Discharge of Conductor Is Believed Certain.

As soon as Senator Money recovered from the shock of the encounter he swore out a warrant for the arrest of the conductor and demanded the man's discharge. The Capital Traction company, on whose car the fracas took place, is absolutely dependent on the will of Congress for its existence, and the rule has been to discharge a conductor who did anything unpleasant to a Senator.

Not long ago a conductor attempted to assist Senator Hoar to alight from a car. The Senator took this as an insult or an imputation upon his ability to alight himself, and demanded the man's discharge. The conductor had to go at once and sacrificed his bread and butter for his courtesy. For this reason it is assumed that Conductor Shaner will also lose his position at once for enforcing the rules of the company.

Senator Money also made it his business to secure the arrest of James E. Hooper, the foreman of a truck company in the district fire department, who helped the conductor put Money off the car and incidentally gave the Senator a couple of pretty stiff punches, which unsettled his neck a little. The Senator also called at the office of the commissioners of the District of Columbia and preferred charges against the fireman, demanding his immediate discharge. The Senator subsequently put his charges in writing, and notified the railroad company as well that unless it discharged the conductor he would sue the company for damages.

Much sympathy is displayed for the two men, and if they are discharged as a result of the action of Senator Money there are some people here high in life who propose to investigate the matter thoroughly. The conductor already has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of the Senator, and the sentiment in the district is such that almost any jury here would convict him of assault. Half a dozen lawyers have agreed to take up the case of the conductor, and if he is discharged a new position will be found for him at once.

Senator Money brought charges against Capitol Policeman Murphy, who also is alleged to have taken the part of the conductor in the struggle with the Senator. Foreman Hooper and Conductor Shaner were arrested tonight, but both were released on furnishing satisfactory security for their appearance in the police court tomorrow.

In speaking in the Senate in February, 1901, on the subject of hazing at West Point, Mr. Money said:

Mississippian's Views on Insults Are Recalled.

"When a man insults me I want to hit him, and if a boy is insulted by another I want him to strike back. I believe it is a proper return for an insult, for an insult goes deeper than an injury. I do not care how good he is, every time he suffers an indignity which he does not resent with effect, that much he has been lowered in his own self-respect, and that much has he been made incapable of becoming an officer and a gentleman."

Senator Clark, the Montana millionaire, today was placed under arrest charged with running his automobile at a speed greater than permitted by law. The Senator was not taken to the police station, but was merely notified by two police officers to appear in the police court tomorrow morning in answer to a charge of violating the speed law. Senator Clark's committee-room is in the Maltby Building, which is located just north of the Capitol grounds. When he reached this building this morning two policemen mounted on bicycles accosted the Senator and informed him he had violated the speed law and would be expected to defend himself in the police court in the morning.

Senator Clark Arrested for Fast Auto Riding.

The Senator was indignant, and protested. He said he was satisfied he had not exceeded the legal speed and that he had not gone faster than ten miles an hour. The policemen insisted, however, that the law had been violated.

The Montana millionaire said he had considerable experience in running automobiles and was perfectly competent to judge of the speed he was making. He regarded the action of the officers as unwarranted, and he proposes to contest the case in court.

The automobile in which Senator Clark was riding is one of the finest in the world. It was made in France and is similar to the one owned by King Edward. There are only two automobiles of the kind in the world. It was built especially to maintain a high rate of speed, and is regarded as one of the fastest in the world. It responds promptly to the brakes, and when running at its highest rate, it is said, it can be brought to a standstill at a distance not exceeding its own length.

The Senate Committee on Relations with Cuba will begin in earnest tomorrow the work of framing a Cuban tariff bill that will be indorsed by the Republicans in the Senate, made a party measure, and passed as a substitute for the bill passed by the House. The meeting will be attended by all the members with the exception of Senator Spooner of Wisconsin, who is in New York.

Senate Will Prepare Cuban Tariff Bill.

Ostensibly the subject to be discussed is the resolution of Senator Teller, a Democratic member of the committee, providing for an investigation to determine the ownership of the Cuban sugar crop, the bulk of which, it is alleged, has passed into the hands of the so-called sugar trust.

The beet sugar Senators, including those who are members of the committee, declare they will never give their support to any bill for the relief of Cuba until it has been demonstrated definitely that the relief shall go only to the people of Cuba and no part of it to the sugar trust.

There already is an agreement among the Republican Senators on the committee to endeavor to work together in the interest of Republican harmony and in behalf of a Republican bill that can be reported from the committee and passed by the Senate without regard to the votes of the Democrats.

The Teller resolution in the present form will not be considered by the committee, but there will be a counter proposition from the Republican side designed to afford the beet sugar Senators an opportunity to demonstrate the accuracy of their statement with regard to the ownership of the Cuban sugar crop by the sugar trust. Their opponents claim that it will be an easy matter for them to prove that General Wood's official report dealing with the question of the sugar crop and its ownership is correct. They will present facts and figures of their own to show that the Cuban planters and the Cuban people will be the actual beneficiaries in cash to the extent of whatever reduction shall be made in the tariff on the imports of Cuba into the United States.

According to the claims of the beet sugar Senators there are about 500,000 pounds of sugar, the most of which is owned by the sugar trust outright or on which it holds options.

Some of the beet sugar Senators and perhaps all of them have admitted that if their minds shall be cleared of the belief that the sugar trust and not the Cuban people would get the benefit of the proposed tariff reduction they will then be justified in working with their Republican colleagues to get a bill that can receive the united support of the party in the Senate.

All Depends Upon Ownership of Sugar Crop.

At the meeting tomorrow it is hoped that a plan will be arranged for settling once and forever the question of the sugar trust's alleged ownership of the Cuban sugar crop and then will come the question as to what form of a bill the beet sugar Senators will support.

As is well known, the plan favored by Senator Platt, chairman of the committee, involves a straight out reciprocal reduction to be put in force by proclamation of the President without further legislative action. The beet sugar Senators are not yet willing to agree to this and they have not done so. A majority of them are known to be anxious for a settlement on Republican lines, but they prefer a bill that will not injure the beet sugar interests or the special industry of any one State or group of States.

They claim that to allow Cuban sugar to come into this country at a reduced rate would result in a direct loss to the beet sugar producers. They are, therefore, still harping on the rebate plan. They claim there is no point in the argument against the constitutionality of the rebate proposition and they strongly favor it, for the reason that the money would then be sure to go into the pockets of the people it is intended for, and the people of the United States as a whole would bear the burden instead of the comparatively few persons engaged in the beet sugar industry.

It is the opinion of the most influential of the Republican Senators, not including those from beet sugar States, that the rebate proposition is entirely unworthy of serious consideration, and they do not propose to entertain it if they can help it. They will contend for a straight out reciprocity bill based upon section 4 of the Dingley tariff act, and they expect to get it in the end.

There will be no agreement as to the details of the bill tomorrow or the next day, or perhaps next week, but it is the opinion of Republican Senators, including some of those who are known as beet sugar men, that within a reasonable time a Republican bill will be framed in the committee, reported to the Senate, and passed by Republican votes.

Those who are interested in the Gathmann gun are determined to make another fight for that project. They have filed a letter with the Secretary of War in a belated protest against the finding of the joint army and navy board, which recorded its firm conviction against the efficiency and value of the Gathmann system of firing high explosives.

Gathmann Gun Promoters Will Continue Fight.

Those who are interested in the matter have included in their communication the quotations of experts and officers who have expressed themselves as favorably impressed with the Gathmann gun. Among the other opinions given is that of Rear Admiral Melville, engineer-in-chief of the navy.

There does not seem to be anything which Secretary Root can do in the matter, however. He is reported to have asked the Gathmann people when they appeared before him: "What do you want me to do—court-martial the board?"

It is quite evident, however, that the country has not heard the last of the Gathmann process. Every officer and civilian who witnessed the test of the Gathmann shell at Sandy Hook is ready to testify that it was a complete failure, and not only that, but it is wrong and absurd in principle. Nevertheless, the promoters hope to induce Congress to make another appropriation.

Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Long gave a unique dinner tonight on the Dolphin, which is in anchor at the navy yard. The dinner was in honor of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt and the members of the Cabinet. It was one of the series given by the Secretaries to the President and other members of the Cabinet, and also was a farewell preliminary to the departure of the Secretary and Mrs. Long from Washington next week.

Unique Dinner Is Given by Secretary Long.

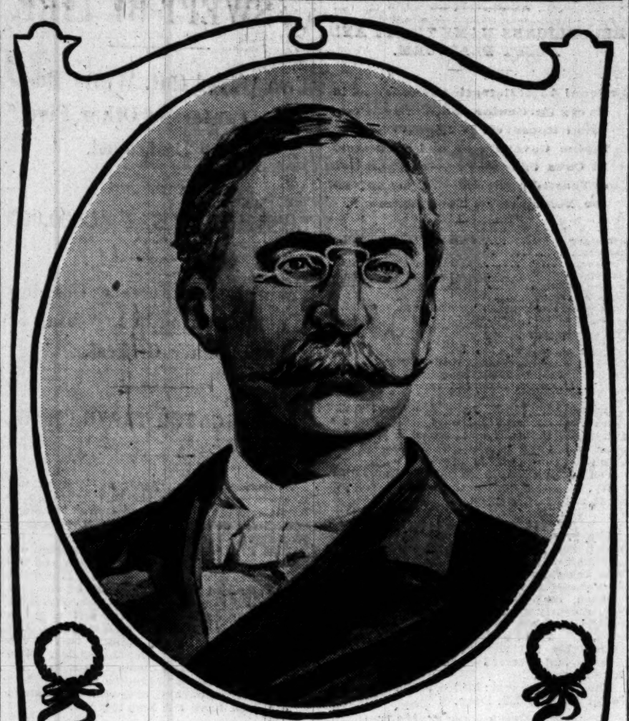
It has been agreed by the House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to report on Saturday the omnibus bill appropriating between $15,000,000 and $20,000,000 for public buildings throughout the country, numbering from fifty to sixty. Arrangements have been made to secure the adoption of a rule on Monday setting aside the following day for the omnibus bill by the House.

Public Buildings Bill Ready, but Details Secret.

The Public Buildings and Grounds committee is guarding its measure carefully, and the members will not make known what cities will be given public buildings until the measure has been formally reported to the House. Consequently a great many members are on the anxious bench and will be until the ban of secrecy is removed.

It is said, however, that Illinois and the West are well taken care of.

SENATOR WHO DREW KNIFE ON CONDUCTOR.



HERNANDO DE SOTO MONEY.

In defending himself while being ejected from a street car in Washington yesterday, following a dispute over a transfer, Senator Money of Mississippi drew a pocket knife, which cut the hand of the conductor. The Senator has sworn out warrants for the conductor and a fireman who aided him in the ejectment, charging assault.

JURY IN SOCIAL WHIRL

WOMEN HOLD INFORMAL RECEPTION FOR MR. T. BRADFORD.

Criminal Court Building the Scene of Fashionable Function, at the Close of Which Guest of the Occasion Is Presented with Engrossed Declarations to the Effect He Had Obtained Money by False Pretenses—Agent of "Exclusive" Club.

Mr. Tom Bradford, a bewhiskered little man with great conversational powers, was the "lion" of a social function yesterday afternoon which was not down on society's calendar. A score of Chicago's society women were among those who received.

When Mr. Bradford had been made the subject of addresses, each complimentary as to his conversational abilities but strongly denouncing the ends to which these powers were applied, he was decorated with a bit of legal paper which charged him with four separate and distinct cases of obtaining money by false pretenses.

Those who appended their names to this souvenir were:

Mrs. William A. Clow, 50 Buena avenue.
Mrs. G. A. Sanderson, 2621 Michigan avenue.
Mrs. Mable H. Foxwell, 2518 Michigan avenue.
Miss Mary G. Bremner, 5001 Greenwood avenue.

Event for Mr. Bradford.

Then Mr. Bradford was escorted from the room by a burly Deputy Sheriff and lodged in jail, where he relieved himself of strong opinions as to Chicago's social world. The members of the receiving body departed, and the event went down in Criminal Court history as the first "pink tea" ever held in the rooms of the Cook County grand jury.

When the hustling lawyer and the weary prisoner trudged through the corridors of the North Side building shortly before 2 o'clock each stopped, rubbed his eyes, and looked again. Carriages were whirling up to the doors and women clad in silks and satins were hurrying up the gloomy stairways.

In the grand jury ante-room Clerk Knock was making announcements with the grace of a doorman at a formal "drawing-room." He called name after name from the tattered leaves of a "blue book." These same leaves, it was shown a few moments later, had been used by Tom Bradford in relieving residents of Michigan and Prairie avenues of their pin money. Those who responded to this call of names were:

Mrs. John A. Farwell, 2506 Michigan avenue.
Miss Florence Underwood, 3022 Prairie avenue.
Mrs. Walter C. Dyer, 3016 Prairie avenue.
Mrs. E. B. Sackett, 2969 Michigan avenue.
Mrs. S. E. Wood, 3929 Michigan avenue.

Agent of Exclusive Club.

There were others whose names are known in the field of woman's clubs and in the social world, and one by one they entered the jury-room. Guided by the same tattered leaves, it was asserted, "Mr." Bradford had canvassed the fashionable residence districts. He was the agent of the Manhattan Current Literature Club of New York.

"It is a most exclusive organization," he had told each one of whom he had secured a hearing. "It is most limited as to its membership. One member, Mrs. Potter of New York, died recently, and you have the opportunity of taking the vacancy. You pay but $2, and you receive all the current magazines at reduced rates. It is most exclusive, you know."

This was what he told Mrs. Foxwell. She paid $2 and assumed the vacancy. Then she inquired among her friends. They, too, had taken the opportunity afforded by the "death of a former member."

Apprehended by a Victim.

Recently Mrs. Foxwell was walking in Michigan avenue. A small-statured man, his face covered with unkempt whiskers, passed her. She followed, met a policeman, and said:

"This is Mr. Bradford of the Manhattan Current Literature club."

Bradford went to jail. Investigation in New York brought the report "fraud" from Captain Titus of the police. The "grand jury pink tea" of yesterday was the result.

STOLEN AT MOTHER'S GRAVE, DECLARES CHILD'S GUARDIAN.

Mrs. B. A. Hughes Appeals to Court to Restore Six-Year-Old Laura Watson to Her.

Kidnaped as she stood beside her mother's grave and kept a prisoner that her godmother may not find her is the fate of a Chicago girl, according to Mrs. B. A. Hughes of 11 North May street. Mrs. Hughes told the story after she had filed a petition for a writ of habeas corpus yesterday. The child is Laura Watson, 6 years old, and the men who are accused of carrying her off are Frank Lyons, an uncle, and Merritt Watson.

Mrs. Hughes is the wife of Thomas Hughes, who is comfortably well off. Laura Watson was born in their house, where her mother lived, after leaving her husband.

"I was godmother to the girl," said Mrs. Hughes. "In the presence of witnesses her mother solemnly gave her to me. The gift of the child she and I regarded as a sacred compact. Not being familiar with law, I did not think any other form of adoption necessary. After the child had lived with me a year her mother died.

"When the last rites were performed at the cemetery," Mrs. Hughes continued, "the child stood with her aunt, Mrs. Dwyer, across her mother's open grave from me. When the grave-diggers began to shovel in the earth I bowed my head in my handkerchief and wept. Soon Mrs. Mary Wiggins plucked me by the sleeve.

"'Look,' she cried, 'they are stealing your child.'

"Lifting my eyes I saw Frank Lyons and Merritt Watson carrying the girl toward a carriage. She struggled and cried, and looked appealingly at me. I ran toward her, but before I could get near her the men pushed her into a carriage and drove rapidly away."

OLEO AMENDMENTS DEFEATED.

House Rejects Propositions to Place Renovated Butter on Same Plane with the Imitation Article.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—The House today sent the oleomargarine bill to conference after agreeing to the Senate amendments, with some modifications suggested by the Agricultural committee. The opponents of the measure offered a number of amendments, the principal one of which was designed to place renovated butter on the same footing with oleomargarine, but they were overwhelmingly voted down.

Rawlins Scores Philippine Policy.

Just before the Senate adjourned today Mr. Rawlins of Utah concluded his speech in opposition to the Philippines government bill. As on previous days, he devoted much of his time today to a consideration of the testimony taken before the Philippines committee. He analyzed the testimony in connection with orders issued by the War department and by general officers in the Philippines. He was particularly severe in his denunciation of General Chaffee for the orders he had issued in carrying out the policy of the government.

"The purpose was," said Mr. Rawlins, "that the soldiers were left to practice with impunity and without disapproval inhuman conduct. That is the only intelligent and reasonable interpretation that can be put upon it."

Mr. Rawlins sharply criticised General Chaffee and denounced him as a "dastard villain who has brought dishonor upon the American name and the American people."

He declared in conclusion that the United States would reap a whirlwind of misfortunes and disaster as a result of its policy in the Philippine Islands.

Lecture by Dr. Gunsaulus.

Dr. Gunsaulus will deliver his lecture on "Savonarola" on Friday evening, April 25, at 8 o'clock before the Men's club of the New England Church, Dearborn avenue and Dearborn place.

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GURLEY ENTERS BRIBERY INQUIRY

Counsel for Traction Company Promises to Help Convict Offenders.

TWO MORE JURORS TALK.

Trial Lawyer Simon Says He Saw Gallagher in Justice Woods' Court.

CONFER ON EVIDENCE TODAY

"If any one has been guilty of wrongdoing in connection with those transfer cases no one will work harder than I to place the offenders in Joliet."

General Counsel W. W. Gurley of the Union Traction company returned to the city yesterday and made the foregoing statement with reference to the charges of jury-tampering, which have attached themselves to the company's Austin transfer suits tried befofe Justice Woods.

Mr. Gurley at once began a vigorous inquiry on his own hook, summoning P. H. O'Donnell of O'Donnell & Brady, who conducted the cases for the company, and demanding all the information the latter might have.

Mr. O'Donnell asserted that he knew nothing more than was set forth in the complaints on which arrests had been made.

Simon Invites an Inquiry.

Trial Lawyer Cyrus S. Simon of the company, who was alleged to be keeping out of the way of State's Attorney Deneen's detectives, made a denial of this charge last night. He clinched the fact that "Bill" Gallagher, caught in the present scandal along with Constable Walter C. Jones, Herbert Rothery, and "Brother John" O'Donnell, has been a figure in the offices of O'Donnell & Brady, despite the denials of these attorneys.

"Personally, I know nothing about Gallagher," said Mr. Simon. "I saw him first about five months ago. He was in the offices of O'Donnell & Brady. I did not speak to him then. I was in the offices of that firm again some time afterward, and Gallagher was there and I was introduced to him."

Saw Gallagher at Trial.

"Did you see Gallagher at Justice Woods' court on the day of the trial of the first of the transfer cases?"

"Yes, he was there. I think everybody saw him. I know nothing about the fellows whom Gallagher was said to have designated as 'good' jurors by having them place pins in their coat lapels. I know nothing of any wrongdoing. I am ready to face any one whom the State's Attorney may desire me to face. I have no intention of leaving the city and the stories to that effect are falsehoods.

"I see they claim, too, that I was the mysterious man who delivered the torn identification card to former Bailiff Lynch. That is false, too."

Two More Jurors Implicated.

Two more members of the first jury were implicated during the day—Clarke Rolfe, a salesman of 358 West Sixty-fifth street, and William J. Sheridan, a cigar dealer at 6125 Stewart avenue. Both men made partial confessions under pressure.

"They were both members of the 'pin' brigade," admitted the State's Attorney last night.

Detectives are searching the city for "Ham" T. Lawrence, the member of the jury for whom the first warrant was issued. The report that he was in Springfield was incorrect. Last night detectives were ordered to redouble their vigilance and keep close watch on all the figures in the case.

Evidence Implicates Lawyers.

"Can you determine just where the end of the inquiry will strike?" was asked one of the prominent men in charge of the investigation.

"The evidence thus far secured," was the answer, "strongly implicates two or three attorneys. The sole problem is to back these incriminating statements with evidence that will stand the test of a hard-fought court battle."

A conference of the investigators will be held today, and if it is decided the evidence is in proper shape witnesses may be hurried at once before the grand jury and indictments secured.

Gurley Discusses the Case.

When Mr. Gurley stopped his investigation last night he said he had found no information which might clear up the matter. It was asserted by his assistants that no money had been drawn from the company's treasury which could have been used to corrupt jurors.

"If there was any wrongdoing I shall use every effort to bring the offender to justice," asserted Mr. Gurley. "When I heard of these charges while in Cleveland they struck me with a shock that could not have been more unexpected had some one told me a friend had killed one of my children. Mr. Simon was instructed to take care of these cases. There were about 500 of them filed, and had judgment for $200 been entered in each others would have followed, and made such a drain that no corporation could stand it.

Gave Instructions to Brady.

"I asked Mr. Simon, therefore, if he wanted assistance. He said he did. O'Donnell & Brady had tried a number of quasi-criminal cases for us, and that firm was suggested. I told him to go ahead. The order to James T. Brady of the firm—and I met him at the North Side offices of the company—was to try the cases on their merits and to try to string them along until the higher courts could pass on Judge Ball's decision relative to transfers. That was the whole matter.

"I have prided myself that this department has been above any suspicion during the years I have had charge. It has been reorganized with this end in view, for suspicions based on events of former years had cost the company cases almost before they came to trial. I want to see this matter investigated. I don't know Gallagher, nor any of the others involved."

Directors Remain Silent.

Directors of the company refused to discuss the matter.

"I know nothing about this business except what I have seen in the newspapers," said John V. Clarke. "The matter has not been officially called to our attention, nor has it been discussed."

NEW MINISTER TO ARRIVE TODAY

Visconte de Alte of Portugal, Who Replaces Santo-Thyrso, on Way to Capital.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—Visconte de Alte, the newly appointed Portuguese Minister, is expected to appear at the State department tomorrow. Private correspondence makes it clear that the former Minister was a victim of a misunderstanding which cost him his post. It was always an official mystery as to why he left Washington so suddenly without a word of his purpose. The Minister was told at the White House when the late President was nearing his end that his death had actually occurred, a result of a misread telegram. The Minister hastened to inform his government by cable. Mr. McKinley did not die until a day or two later, and the Portuguese Minister for Foreign Affairs had meanwhile unwittingly circulated a premature report, for which Santo-Thryso paid the penalty in losing his position.

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ALUMNI OF PRINCETON HOLD ANNUAL DINNER.

Chicago Graduates of Old Nassau Meet and Make Merry After Listening to Address by Prof. Woodrow Wilson.

Alumni of Princeton now living in Chicago ate, drank, and made merry at the University club last evening on the occasion of the annual dinner of the Princeton club. Professor Woodrow Wilson of the Princeton faculty was there to talk to his former pupils, and he had many things to say about the past glories of the college and the greater ones to come.

Professor Wilson made it clear that the idea that an election of studies which would allow a man to slip through college on the lines of least resistance was not the idea ruling the New Jersey institution. He also reminded his hearers that it rested with the alumni whether Princeton kept its place in the ranks of colleges, and his audience was standing most of the time in appreciation of his clever admixture of wit and wisdom.

Henry E. Mason replied on behalf of Yale, David B. Jones told of the difficulties of the resident trustee, while Richard D. Harlan, who is 6 feet 4, said he was sorry he could not speak for his "big little brother." Then there was a smoker, and Cyrus H. McCormick, Lawrence A. Young, John Maynard Harlan, John C. Mathis, Thomas D. Jones, W. H. Forsyth, William Alton, and others of the elders gathered around the cleared tables and encouraged the youngsters at the piano to sing "Nellie Gray."

Special Services at St. James' Church.

At St. James' Episcopal Church, Cass and Huron streets, there will be two special services next Sunday. At 3 o'clock the Society of Sons of St. George will attend in a body and in regalia. The sermon will be delivered by the Rev. W. B. Walker, rector of Christ Church, Joliet. In the morning the Rev. Dr. Rushton, for so long at the head of the city missionary work of the Episcopal church, will preach his farewell sermon preparatory to leaving for New York, where he will assume charge of Zion Church.

DEATHS.

FITZPATRICK—April 24, Thomas Fitzpatrick, husband of Ann Fitzpatrick [nee O'Neill], father of John, Thomas, Michael, Elizabeth, Catherine, Mary, Mrs. Frank Leahy and Mrs. Walter T. Sullivan, brother of Mrs. Thomas Lunneen, Carrollton, Ill., and the late Mrs. John C. McMahon. Funeral notice later.

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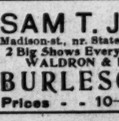

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Allow plenty of spreading room for all wild flowers and perennials. One of their most lovable features is this tendency to increase.

Hepaticas transplanted with plenty of their natural soil will sometimes keep on blooming. Next year the delicate blossoms will prove a dear delight.

The pansy geranium is a new and beautiful Pelargonium. It grows easily but low, bears quantities of handsome blossoms, and the shades, tones, and colorings are so pansy-like and varied that the plant richly deserves its name.

Honeysuckle grows most satisfactorily in this latitude. A strong, healthy vine will bloom really this season, as well as attain good growth. The honeysuckle survives the winter cheerily and grows stronger every year. Too much can hardly be said in its favor.

Asparagus will not bear under three seasons, but the foliage is lovely from the beginning. A good root will provide delicate, feathery greenery for bouquets all summer, and it needs little care unless it is intended to use as a vegetable. Roots should be transplanted now.

The geraniums are so numerous and so varied nowadays that a whole garden might be filled with them without danger of monotony or tiring. The aromatic scented varieties are delightful, and the new-old ivy-leaved and variegated beauties are finer and handsomer than ever before.

Country friends should be encouraged to share their treasures. They can often do this with real benefit to the roots and bushes divided. Shrubs, hardy vines, and perennials of many kinds will do well if carefully transplanted, and the home-reared flowers have a charm and freshness all their own.

The old-fashioned Sweet William, wallflower, pansies, and snapdragon are all admirable for the edge-strip border. These homely and old-time blossoms never seem to grow tired of blossoming. Old-fashioned liverwort belongs in the same category, and so do the periwinkle vine, sweet scabious, and bleeding heart.

FARR IN FIELD AGAINST MANN.

Citizens of His Neighborhood Urge Him for Congress in Second District.

CLEAR ROAD FOR MADDEN

Speculation on County Ticket Stops Until Lorimer's Views Are Known.

MAY MAKE PLACE FOR HEALY

Marvin A. Farr, formerly President of the Real Estate board, is being boomed for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Second District. A petition asking him to become a candidate is being circulated, and has received numerous signatures. This is Congressman Mann's present district.

Some years ago Mr. Farr was suggested as a candidate for the nomination against Mr. Mann. It happened, however, that some of Mr. Farr's friends urged him as being opposed to the Spanish war, which was not a popular platform at the time, and but little was heard of his candidacy. Since then the lines of the district have been changed; Congressman Mann is in partly new territory, while Mr. Farr is still at home.

Last evening Mr. Farr was visited by a delegation of his friends, and the petition with several hundred signatures asking him to allow the use of his name as a candidate was presented to him. In response to the petition Mr. Farr said:

"After long consideration I have decided to yield to the wishes of my friends and allow my name to be submitted to the Republican convention as a candidate for Congress."

Among those who signed the petition urging the candidacy of Mr. Farr were: W. D. Washburn, John A. Roche, A. F. Gartz, E. C. Potter, John G. Shedd, William O. Goodman, J. S. Belden, John S. Miller, E. K. Butler, John C. Hately, George Birkhoff Jr., J. W. Brooks, John C. Neely, and O. W. Norton.

Hertz Not Out for Congress.

Henry L. Hertz denied last evening he had any idea of looking for the nomination for Congress in the Seventh District.

"Of course," said he, "if I were financially independent and could afford to live in Washington I would like to be a member of Congress. It unfortunately happens I am not in that lucky position."

There are already four candidates for the nomination in the Seventh District. They are Alderman Raymer of the Twenty-eighth Ward, Alderman Race of the Thirty-fifth, Alderman Fowler, and Ephraim Banning of the Fourteenth.

The settling of the difficulties between the Haney and Dixon factions in the Second Ward is taken to mean that there will be no opposition to the nomination of Martin B. Madden in the First District.

As far as the other Republican districts in Cook County go, it is conceded that Foss will be renominated in the Tenth, Boutell in the Ninth, and that Lorimer can have the nomination in the Sixth. In the Third the contest lies between John A. Henry, who is backed by State's Attorney Deneen, and Chauncy Miller.

Wants to Be on County Board.

The Thirty-fifth Ward came to the front yesterday with a candidate for a place on the Republican ticket in the person of Percy Garner, who wants to be a member of the next County board. He is county committeeman from the ward.

Opens Judgeship Headquarters.

Headquarters for Charles R. Walker, who is a candidate for nomination for a Judgeship on the Republican ticket, were opened in the Unity Building, with Ward B. Sherman as chairman in charge. Mr. Walker, who was a member of the firm of Freeman & Walker before Judge Freeman went on the bench, was born in Akron, O., graduated at Yale in the class of 1878, with Judge Taft of Cincinnati as a classmate, and has practiced law in Chicago since 1880. He is a resident of the Third Ward.

Slates Wait on Lorimer.

All speculation as to the makeup of the main offices on the Republican county ticket stopped yesterday, as William Lorimer refused to declare himself as to those places concerning which he is generally allowed to have a controlling voice. He is understood to be getting ready to demand that Dan Healy go on the ticket, but whether he will ask for the Sheriff's office he will not indicate.

HE HOPES TO DETHRONE BURKE.

Chairman Carey Promises Fireworks at the Democratic Executive Committee Meeting Today.

Chairman Carey of the Democratic County committee promises that the meeting of the Executive committee this afternoon shall be an interesting one. He says the standing of Robert E. Burke as boss of the party will be settled then and there, and that the proceedings will be full of fireworks.

One thing which is likely to come before the gathering is the location of the party headquarters. The lease for the present building, which expires on May 1, is in Burke's name, with Thomas Gahan and William Loeffler as sureties on the lease. Both Gahan and Loeffler are opposed to Burke, but the latter as lessee has the keys, and he has held the fort ever since the present troubles began, even to the extent of building the famous barricade.

It is part of Carey's plan either to have a new lease executed for the present quarters, in which the committee shall be the lessee, or hire new quarters and allow Burke to maintain the existing ones as the headquarters of the County Democracy.

It developed yesterday that Burke was an early caller on Mayor Harrison the morning after the celebrated meeting of the anti-Burke forces in Corporation Counsel Walker's office, at which the Mayor presided. The object of his early visit, it is supposed, was to present his side of the case to Mr. Harrison, but neither the Mayor nor Burke will say what took place in the brief conference.

SUIT RECALLS INVENTOR'S FATE

Application for Receiver for Color Photo Company Revives Sad Story of James McDonough's Life.

In the application made in the Circuit Court for a receiver for the International Color Photo company there is recalled the romantic life history of James William McDonough, a student, scientist, and philosopher of note. The International Color Photo company was organized in 1897 to reproduce color by photography. McDonough invented the system after spending twenty years studying photography. The physics of light and the chemistry of everything he found necessary to use in his experiments.

For five years his efforts to enlist men of capital in a practical application of his discovery proved unavailing, and when, in the spring of 1897, the necessary help was secured, McDonough's fortune was shattered and his health broken. He was taken suddenly ill and died just two months after the plan had been perfected of placing before the public the results of his inventive genius and knowledge.

The application for the appointment of a receiver for the company was made by George D. Henderson, a former employé, who seeks to collect a judgment for $110, which he says he holds against the concern.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

"MISSOULA." "TETONKA."
E. & W. Two New Collars. E. & W.

CHICAGO WOMAN IS CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF PRESBYTERIAN BOARD OF MISSIONS.

MRS. HENRY H. FORSYTH.

Mrs. Forsyth, who lives at 14 Ritchie court, was elected President of the Woman's Presbyterian Board of Missions of the Northwest at Omaha yesterday. The board not only selected many of its other officers from Chicago, but voted to hold its meeting here next year at the Forty-first Street Presbyterian Church.

The following other officers were chosen, all of whom live in Chicago: Recording Secretary, Mrs. Thomas E. D. Bradley; General Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Robert Waller; Field Secretary, Mrs. D. B. Wells; Treasurer, Mrs. C. B. Farwell; Auditor, Mrs. Earl C. Greenman. The report of the Treasurer showed receipts for the year of $78,470, of which $71,628 was appropriated for missionary work.

The synodical report from Utah, prepared by Mrs. M. M. T. Allen of Salt Lake City, created considerable discussion in the board yesterday. "The conditions in Utah have come to a crisis," said Mrs. Allen. "Polygamy is being taught with renewed vigor. Mormon children are being prohibited from going to Gentile schools and religion and state are being too closely identified."

PATENT NOSTRUM DIVIDES FIRM

Inventor Arrested on Larceny Charge by Partner Who Furnished Cash to Advertise the Remedy.

Dr. George E. Lindner and James H. Dalton of 431 North Clark street were partners in the manufacture of a cure for absent-mindedness and failing vision. Mr. Dalton thinks Dr. Lindner should take some of his own medicine, and was instrumental in having the doctor brought to Chicago from St. Louis last night on a warrant charging larceny. Dr. Lindner discovered the great remedy, and Mr. Dalton let go of $1,000 for advertising purposes. Then the doctor, according to Dalton, went to St. Louis, where he opened another office. Mr. Dalton considered the act of his partner to be in the nature of larceny and secured a warrant for his arrest. When the doctor was taken to the Harrison Street Station last night Dalton signed bonds for his release.

CHICAGO WOMAN IS ELECTED.

Mrs. Alice H. Putnam Chosen President of International Kindergarten Union at Boston Convention.

Boston, Mass., April 24.—At the sessions of the International Kindergarten union convention here today papers were read by Clavin B. Cady of Boston, Miss Patty Hill of Louisville, Miss Fannibell Curtis of Brooklyn, Miss Mary McCulloch of St. Louis, Professor Earl Barnes of Philadelphia, Arthur A. Carey of Boston, Rabbi Hirschberg of Brooklyn, Mrs. Robert H. Chapin of Lenox, and Mrs. Grace C. Kempton of Boston. These officers were elected: President, Mrs. Alice H. Putnam, Chicago; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Lallah B. Pingree, Boston, and Miss Nora A. Smith, New York; corresponding secretary and treasurer, Miss Fannibell Curtis, Brooklyn; recording secretary, Miss Evelyn A. Holmes, Charleston, S. C.; auditor, Miss Harriet Niel, Washington, D. C.

ROBBERS DYNAMITE A SAFE.

Elkhorn Depot at Harvard, Neb., Damaged and Amount of Money Secured Not Known.

Harvard, Neb., April 25, 1:30 a. m.—The safe of the Elkhorn depot here was dynamited at 1 o'clock this morning and its contents stolen by unknown robbers.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

Chicago Mendelssohn Club.

The Chicago Mendelssohn club's concert in Studebaker Theater last evening marked the completion of the eighth season of that exceptionally successful organization. While the other societies which together with it are the principal source and support of the city's musical life, are contending against large yearly deficits, or struggling to keep the debit and the credit sides of their ledger somewhat in balance, this company of men singers goes on from season to season, with prosperity beaming upon it, and money for its every need unfailingly abundant. Its managers seem to have found for it the secret of financial as well as of musical well-being; would that they would share at least the first half of that secret with the business directors of its fellow-societies!

The concert last night was marked by all the conditions characteristic of the Mendelssohn club's evenings of music—an audience, large, fashionable, and thoroughly and heartily enthusiastic, a program pleasing but not wanting in musical worth, a soloist of prominence, and last, but chiefly, male chorus singing which in tonal beauty, in precision and accuracy, and in interpretative excellence need fear no comparisons, no matter how high or how renowned the standard may be. Mr. Wild and his singers gave a program that so far as the performance it received was concerned was a source of unqualified pleasure and satisfaction. Of the selections, "The King and the Bard," by F. Hegar; Bruch's "Lay of the Norsemen"; and MacDowell's "Dance of the Gnomes" proved musically the strongest, the Hegar selection being especially well-made in the setting of the lines beginning "The citadels are fallen," and the MacDowell composition being a strikingly effective and original bit of humorous music. The virtuoso-like finish with which this tricky "Dance of the Gnomes" was given not only made repetition unavoidable, but proved in brilliant fashion the exceptional technical and interpretative powers possessed by the chorus. "The Impatient Lover," by Leu, was a catchy trifle charmingly sung, and "Soft Floating on the Air," in which the old hymn tune "Dennis" is effectively used as a harmonic background, showed skill on the part of the composer, F. W. Root. Bruch's "Lay of the Norsemen" is remarkable as a piece of striking unisono writing, and was admirably given by the chorus and Joseph Baernstein, the soloist of the evening. Mr. Baernstein was in fine vocal form and sang in a manner which made the hearty recalls and demands for encores he received but a merited reward for work well done. He was especially happy in his giving of Mendelssohn's "I Am a Roamer Bold," Korbay's "Had a Horse," and the two selections he added as encores after his last group of songs.

TRUST TUG FLEET IS IDLE

HELPLESS THROUGH STRIKE OF LINEMEN AND FIREMEN.

Lake and Dearborn Street Bridges Damaged by Collisions with Boats Which Attempted to Navigate Without Helpers—United States Mails Involved at Cleveland and Government Likely to Be Asked to Interfere—Valiquet Makes a Statement.

The first day of the strike of linemen and firemen on the tugs of the Great Lakes Towing company ended with the honors on the side of the strikers.

While navigation in Chicago River was not seriously delayed, the reason lies in the small number of boats moving, which three small tugs outside of the trust handled easily. In other ports, especially on Lake Erie, the stoppage was complete, and the steel trust was compelled to use small steamers to conduct large craft to their docks.

Two collisions with bridges over Chicago River lent some excitement to the day. The Anchor liner Alaska, proceeding up the South Branch without a tug, ran into Lake street bridge and tore up the sidewalk for ten feet. The schooner Resumption, coming in with lumber, collided with Dearborn street bridge, doing considerable damage to the sidewalk and having its own headgear wrecked.

Trust Tugs Rest at Dock.

The tugs J. B. Bradwell, John A. May, and Success comprised the Chicago fleet in commission. All of the big fleet of the trust rested at the dock. A half dozen schooners and four or five medium-sized steamers were all of the ships that needed assistance.

Word came from South Chicago that the three Great Lakes tugs there were being run by the Captains and engineers without firemen and linemen. The Firemen and Linemen's union last night appointed a committee to look into the matter.

Valiquet Defends Strike.

Grand President Archie Valiquet yesterday took exception to the statement made in Cleveland by T. F. Newman, President of the tug trust, that the firemen and linemen had broken faith with him in declaring a general strike.

"When the final proposition was laid before the trust officials," he said, "we did not agree to let the Duluth strike settle itself. That was one of the principal things under discussion all through the session. We allowed the men in the Ohio ports under dispute to go back to work until Wednesday, pending the settlement of the strike at Duluth, and when it was not adjusted we called the general walkout."

United States Mail Involved.

Detroit, Mich., April 24.—If the tug strike continues much longer and the strikers at Cleveland refuse to handle the boats of the D. & C. line, it is possible that the United States Marshal at that port will be called on to act. The big passenger boats carry the United States mail and cannot be delayed. The steamboat company will make a tender of wages to the strikers, who, it is understood, claim they will not work because they are not paid, and if they then refuse to handle the boats carrying mail the government will be asked to take a hand.

To Call Out Engineers.

Toledo, O., April 24.—The Licensed Tugmen's Protective association tonight decided to call out the engineers employed by the Great Lakes Towing company in sympathy with the firemen. It is expected this will tie up the tugs of the company in this port tomorrow. Today Manager Nagle had the engineers doing the firing.

GERMANIA MAY LOSE LICENSE.

Mayor Said to Have Decided Against the Proprietor of the Summer Garden.

Refusal of a license renewal for Frank L. Kelsch of the Germania Summer Garden, Cottage Grove avenue and Fifty-first street, practically was decided on yesterday afternoon by Mayor Harrison. Arthur B. Farwell and other Hyde Park Protective association officials produced the record of a case in 1898 when Kelsch was convicted of selling liquor without a license, and this argument is said to have decided the Mayor against him.

TO END SAN FRANCISCO STRIKE.

Directors of United Railroads Consider Demands of Men and Refer Them to New York Owners.

San Francisco, Cal., April 24.—The directors of the United Railroads considered today the demands of the striking street car employés. The matter has been referred to members of the directorate in New York. Pending word from them no decision can be reached. It is understood the local members of the board are in favor of granting most of the demands of the men.

HOPKINS VICTOR IN ADAMS COUNTY

Convention Indorses Yates and His Senatorial Candidate in Everything.

FAIL TO BEAT ONE MAN.

Governor's Forces Make Attempt to Defeat Representative Who Spoke to Sherman.

STATE PAY ROLL CONTROLS.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Quincy, Ill., April 24.—[Special.]—Adams County declared today for Hopkins and for Yates, as expected. There has been no fight here against either of these men because the State patronage was strong. Adams County is saliviated with State office-holders. Governor Yates was shrewd enough to subsidize the leaders of warring factions, thus preventing a fight.

Captain William Somerville, boss of the Soldiers' Home, assisted by Perry Ellis and Penitentiary Commissioner Clark, did the floor work for Yates and Hopkins. The resolutions were brought here by John T. Clyne, the assistant postmaster at Joliet, and are identical with those adopted by the Will County Republicans. They commend Yates and Hopkins, laud Yates' administration, extolling the Governor as a paragon of a ruler, one who will do the right thing despite all influences. They instruct for Hopkins and for Yates in every way known to human ingenuity. The delegates to the State convention are ordered to support Hopkins, and those to the Senatorial convention are so instructed as well. The candidate for the Legislature is not only instructed to support Hopkins but is ordered to support the State administration on all questions. The resolutions went through without a protest, and are the will of the Republicans of Adams County.

Fail to Beat Schlagenhauf.

But the fight over a secondary proposition was fierce. The Yates forces were against Representative William Schlagenhauf, who wanted a renomination. The 5 per cent assessment fund was used in unlimited quantities to beat him, and all the power of the State machine was brought to bear on him. Yates wanted Schlagenhauf laid out on the political cooling board. The Summerville-Clark faction went for Schlagenhauf. Every known influence was brought to bear to beat him, but it availed not. Schlagenhauf was indorsed on a minority report from the Committee on Resolutions by a vote of 165 to 154, and the Yates forces swooned.

Any one who holds a speaking acquaintance with L. Y. Sherman is held in high disfavor by Yates, and one who may be classed as Sherman's friend is deemed an Anarchist, an incendiary, and a highbinder. So Schlagenhauf went under the ban. Every effort was made to beat him, but he won. He will live up to his instructions to the letter, and said so in the convention, but the Yates people wanted him not.

Soldiers' Home Aids Yates.

Captain William Somerville sat in the front row, with forty-five men in blue from the Soldiers' Home as fellow-delegates. He voted them in a block, and every delegate but one from the town in which the home is located voted against Schlagenhauf.

Cheer Independent Delegate.

Somerville voted every man from his township but one against Schlagenhauf, but could not beat him.

The Schlagenhauf delegates asked the man who was brash enough to break away from Somerville to stand up. The individual arose and was greeted with three cheers.

The convention indorsed George W. Prince for Congress and elected Charles H. Castle chairman of the County Central committee.

Thirty-third Ignores Yates.

Rock Island, Ill., April 24.—[Special.]—The name of Governor Richard Yates was not mentioned in the Thirty-third District Republican Senatorial convention held here today.

Levi S. McCabe of this city was nominated for State Senator and Lawrence M. Magill of Moline and C. A. Samuelson of Sherrard, Mercer County, for Representatives.

TESTIMONIAL TO HITT'S WORTH.

Action of Freeport Republicans May Have Important Bearing on the Senatorial Contest.

[From the Chicago Evening Journal (Rep.) April 24.]

Mr. Hitt got a good sendoff toward the Senatorship yesterday at Freeport. He was first nominated by acclamation as Representative to Congress, and then a resolution was adopted in appreciation of his splendid services as a member of Congress for many years and recommending him for United States Senator from Illinois.

Thus Mr. Hitt enters upon his Senatorial campaign with his friends, neighbors, and constituents solidly at his back.

We do not anticipate that this movement will assume the proportions of a boom, but it will be received by the citizens of the State everywhere with satisfaction. The feeling from now on will continue to grow that here, at least, is a worthy candidate, a man who will honor the State as it honors him. Mr. Hitt would be a Senator of the old type, dignified, able, influential, and respected. His years of experience in the House would give him an immediate standing in the Senate, and he would not have to wait years before gaining the recognition of his colleagues.

Undoubtedly there are some of the Republican candidates for the next General Assembly pledged to Hopkins, or Mason, or Dawes, but none of these gentlemen can, as yet, count on a caucus majority. Now that Mr. Hitt's candidacy is known, it is not likely that any more absolute pledges will be given. Wise men will prefer to wait and see what sort of situation is presented next January before committing themselves.

Of the candidates for the General Assembly already nominated, or likely to be nominated, nine-tenths of them will certainly make Mr. Hitt their second choice, so that when the Legislature convenes it will be found that his position is strong.

Robert R. Hitt stands a good chance to be the next Senator from Illinois as successor to William E. Mason.

TROLLEY CAR STRIKES WAGONS

Three Men Injured in Collision at Lake Street and Hoyne Avenue and Passengers Badly Scared.

A west-bound Lake street electric car collided with a van and truck at Hoyne avenue last evening, injuring the three men on the wagons and badly frightening the passengers on the car.

The Injured.

Conway, John, 35 years old; 301 West Harrison street; body bruised and cut; removed to County Hospital.

Johnson, Fred, 24 years old, teamster, 26 St. John's place; back wrenched and body bruised; removed to his home.

Rassey, George, 23 years old, 365 South Winchester avenue; arms, shoulders, and body cut and bruised; taken to his home.

The van and truck were going south in Hoyne avenue side by side, and were nearly upon the car tracks on Lake street when the electric car dashed upon them at full speed, striking the side of the van and tearing off one of its wheels. The van was thrown against the truck, the collision knocking all three men from their seats, but not overturning the wagons. The dozen passengers of the car when the crash came made a combined rush for the street. None of the passengers was hurt.

INDIANA VOICES POLICY

REPUBLICANS NAME TICKET AND ADOPT PLATFORM.

National Administration Is Indorsed in Every Particular and Work of President Roosevelt Is Approved—Philippine Government and Treatment of Cuba Upheld—Proper Regulation of Trusts Demanded—Warm Contests for Nominations, Then Harmony.

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Clerk of Supreme Court....ROBERT A. BROWN
Superintendent of Public Instruction.....
.....F. A. COTTON

Indianapolis, Ind., April 24.—The Republican State convention today nominated a full State ticket after adopting a platform over which the Resolutions committee had some little difficulty in agreeing.

Ten nominations were made without difficulty, but the rest of the ticket developed some animated contests.

Hardest Fight on Miller.

The principal contest, and the one upon which the most interest centered, was the nomination for Attorney General. Miller was generally credited with being a protégé of Senator Beveridge, and he comes from Goshen, in which place Judge Baker, who was recently appointed to the federal bench at the instance of Senator Beveridge, also resides. Miller's opponents tried hard to make this tell against him, saying that Goshen had received as much patronage as it could expect.

The final vote was: Miller, 904½; Bingham, 857½; Moores, 422; Dean, 3.

Some Delay Over Platform.

The first business was the presentation of the report of the Committee on Resolutions. The committee was not able to report promptly because it was unable to agree even as late as 8:30 upon some of the planks. There was a hot fight over the insertion of the clause indorsing the gold standard.

Platform Is Adopted.

The platform opens with an affirmation of the Republican national platform of 1900, and after expressing regret for the deaths of McKinley, Harrison, and Governor Mount, gives Roosevelt this indorsement:

"We cordially indorse the able and patriotic administration of President Roosevelt. Succeeding to the Presidency under tragic circumstances, and pursuing the policy of his illustrious predecessor, he at once won the confidence and approval of the American people. We are proud of his courage, his purity, and his devotion to the interests of the entire country, and pledge him the earnest support of the Republicans of Indiana in all efforts to continue and advance the prosperity of the people at home and the glory of the republic abroad."

Administration Is Indorsed.

The administration is congratulated on its success in carrying out its Cuban policy to completion and its management of Philippine affairs is indorsed in every respect.

The proper regulation and control of trusts is urged and then the tariff is dealt with as follows:

"We adhere to the policy of protection. Under it our industries have developed and the hopes of labor have been increased and wages maintained at a higher rate than would have been otherwise possible.

"We favor the extension of our markets through carefully guarded reciprocity arrangements with other countries, wherever it can be done without interrupting our home production. While we favor such modifications of tariff schedules as from time to time are required by changing conditions, we insist that such changes shall be made in line with the fundamental principle of protection."

Th Hay-Pauncefote treaty, the gold standard, and the Chinese exclusion act each come in for a word of approval, and the nation's obligations to its old soldiers are recognized.

The entire Indiana Republican delegation to Congress is commended for its work in behalf of the State and the nation.

The remainder of the platform is devoted to State officers, approving the State administration and making suggestions for changes in certain defective laws.

Uncontested Places Filled.

Daniel E. Storms of Lafayette was nominated by acclamation for Secretary of State. There were no other nominations.

There being no contests for the following positions the rules were suspended and nominations were made by acclamation as follows:

Judge of Supreme Court—John H. Gillett of Hammond.

Judges of the Appellate Court—W. D. Robinson of Princeton; William J. Henly of Rushville; James D. Black of Indianapolis; Daniel W. Comstock of Richmond; U. Z. Wiley of Fowler; Frank S. Roby of Auburn.

State Statistician—B. F. Johnson of Fowler.

State Geologist—W. H. Blatchley of Indianapolis.

For State Auditor, State Treasurer, and Attorney General it required three ballots each to reach a conclusion, but after each ballot complete harmony prevailed.

A warm fight resulted in the vote for Clerk of the Supreme Court, resulting in the nomination of Robert A. Brown on the third ballot.

F. A. Cotton of Newcastle was nominated for Superintendent of Public Instruction on the third ballot.

The convention adjourned at 6:50 p. m.

BABCOCK TO FIGHT PRESIDENT.

Wisconsin Congressman's District, by His Orders, Fails to Indorse Roosevelt's Administration.

Lancaster, Wis., April 24.—[Special.]—The Third Congressional convention, which renominated Congressman J. W. Babcock and indorsed his tariff views today did not adopt any resolutions indorsing the State or national administrations. It is currently reported here tonight that the omission was made at the request of Mr. Babcock.

The Congressman was unable to attend the convention, but his interests here were in the hands of Henry Casson, sergeant-at-arms of the House. Mr. Casson had been here for several days lining up the factions for Mr. Babcock and harmonizing the differences on the State administration.

In the convention the Congressman was renominated without opposition, and resolutions were passed indorsing his tariff views. Word was quietly passed around not to pass any other resolutions, because Mr. Babcock did not desire it. The failure to indorse the national administration is regarded here as a sign that Mr. Babcock proposes to keep up his fight on Roosevelt. The slight to the State administration is regarded as a sign that Mr. Babcock is not friendly with Governor La Follette.

Nominations for Congress.

Ohio.....6th....Charles H. Hildebrand..Rep.
Kansas.....6th....William A. Reeder.....Rep.

WATER SERVICE PIPES RUINED.

Superintendent Wallace Declares Evidence Shows That City Mains Are Being Destroyed by Electrolysis.

Electrolysis is ruining thousands of service pipes for water in the water limits, according to the statements of Superintendent Wallace of the Water Pipe Extension bureau. Mr. Wallace has accumulated a mass of evidence in the shape of pipes twisted and eroded out of all resemblance to the shining new tubes which were originally put into the ground.

"The city is wasting billions of gallons of water, and the people are subjected to the annoyance and expense of replacing service pipes because of electricity allowed to escape from street car wires," Mr. Wallace said. "If the street car companies would provide a perfect return circuit the pipes would not suffer."

Some of the pipes which have been eaten by the electrical action are immense in proportions. The small pipes are devoured in large spots, while the electrolytic action on the big pipes is to bore small round holes in the pipes through the inch or more of cast iron.

SEVEN TOWNS SWEPT BY FIRE.

Two Wiped Out, While Business Centers of Other Five Are Destroyed.

LOSS MORE THAN $1,500,000

Pennsylvania Forests Burning and Situation in Lycoming County Critical.

FLAMES CATCH TRAIN CREW.

Williamsport, Pa., April 24.—During the last forty-eight hours the furious sweep of forest fires in the central section of the State has caused devastation to a vast amount of property.

From Shinemahoning come meager details of the fate that befell two men and the thrilling escape of four others. Mountain fires destroyed a large number of sleepers and caused the rails to spread on Barclay's lumber railroad. An engine and a dozen cars loaded with logs were derailed. The locomotive overturned, pinning two of the six men riding on it under the tender. The other four men saved themselves with great difficulty, but were unable to prevent their comrades from burning to death. The names of the dead have not been learned.

Drowns Running from Flames.

Agnes Fielding, a 6-year-old child, fell into a creek and was drowned escaping from the fire which swept over Clintondale last night. Ten houses, a church, and nine stables were burned. The loss was about $40,000.

Over fifty men worked hard all day yesterday and a portion of last night fighting a fierce fire in Mosquito Valley, above the Williamsport Water company's reservoir.

Situation Critical.

A critical condition of things exists in the northwestern portion of Lycoming County, in the Pine Creek Valley. Near Haneyville last night 400,000 feet of sawed lumber belonging to George Walker was destroyed.

The mountains bordering Pine Creek are reported ablaze from Ramseyville to Ansonia. At Ramseyville 2,500 feet of logs belonging to Valentine Luppert of South Williamsport were destroyed. Several small houses adjacent were also burned.

Town Sets Forest Afire.

Marienville, Pa., April 24.—The fire which began yesterday raged until late last night, destroying 150 buildings and entailing a loss of nearly $300,000, with not over $75,000 insurance. About one-half of the town is in ashes and 500 people are homeless. The flames spread from the town to a lumber yard and from there to the woods, and burned for two miles up the railroad.

Fires in Six Towns.

Fires in six towns in various parts of the country yesterday entailed an estimated loss of $1,110,000.

None of the burned towns was protected by a regular fire department. Two were entirely wiped out and in four others the business centers were more than half destroyed.

St. Stephens' Monastery at Croghan, N. Y., the college, and other buildings belonging to the society were wrecked by fire. The loss, which is total, is placed at $80,000.

The following is the estimated loss in the six towns which suffered from fires:

Marionville, Pa.	$ 300,000
Croghan, N. Y.	300,000
Red Oak, Ia.	275,000
Fremont, Ia.	35,000
Sarcoxie, Mo.	100,000
Cooperville, Ont.	100,000
Total	$1,110,000

Indications are that only a small part of the property destroyed was covered by insurance.

Concludes Calling of Cases.

The calling of the cases on the law docket of the Circuit Court was concluded by Judge Haney yesterday afternoon. It was just 3:30 o'clock when the last case, numbered 17,710, was called. Judge Haney was assisted by Louis Hutt, clerk in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court. The courtroom was crowded throughout the day with lawyers and their clerks, but the best of order prevailed. Out of a total of a little over 8,100 cases called it is estimated that 1,400 have been dismissed.

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ALLOWED TO COMPROMISE

Government Will Be Enriched Nearly $10,000 by Involuntary Contributions.

TRADERS RECEIVE NOTICES.

Uncle Sam will be nearly $10,000 richer in a few days as the result of rather involuntary contributions from about 100 Board of Trade brokers and commission men who neglected to affix the special war tax stamps to memorands of trades.

There was a procession of traders and clerks from the Board of Trade to the internal revenue office most of the day in response to notices of which the following is a copy:

Sir: I am instructed by the Hon. Commissioner of Internal Revenue in the case of [illegible] who failed, for more or less extended period, to issue and stamp memorandums representing their trades or agreements to sell stock and grain, but who have since issued and stamped the memorandums in arrears, that the postponing of the same, while it may be accepted as indicating that the neglect was without intention to evade the tax, does not relieve the offender from the penalty of not less than $500 nor more than $1,000 and imprisonment, imposed by section 2, act of June 13, 1898, as amended by section 8, act of March 2, 1901.

If it is your desire to relieve yourself from liability it is your privilege to avail yourself of the provisions of section 3,229, R. S., which authorizes compromises of such offenses.

If no steps are taken by you within a reasonable time I am instructed to report your case to the United States District Attorney and to request him to proceed under section 2, act of June 11, 1898. Respectfully,

HENRY L. HERTZ, Collector.

Names Terms of Compromise.

Each anxious inquirer was informed by Collector Hertz or his deputies that $100 would be about the proper sum to present to the government to secure a compromise. As this was more reasonable than a fine of $500 to $1,000 and imprisonment the result of each little interview was usually the production of cash or checks for the suggested amount, or a promise to pay.

"Your check," explained Collector Hertz affably, "should be made payable to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue and sent to this office to be forwarded to him. I do not know whether the amount will be satisfactory. That is for the Commissioner to decide."

There was no variation, however, in the amount suggested to each victim. Collector Hertz declined to discuss the matter on the ground that it was strictly private business between the government and the parties interested.

Brokers Criticise Government.

"It looks like a queer thing for the government to do," said one of the brokers who was caught in the dragnet. "Perhaps Uncle Sam needs the money. It is admittedly only a technical violation of the law. If we are guilty why should not the government prosecute us? The law does not state within what time the memorandums should be delivered. We got behind last winter when business was rushing, but were catching up arrears when an inspector called on us. He seemed to be satisfied with our explanation, but said only forty-eight hours would be allowed for delivering the stamped memorandia. That was a month ago, and we have not been asked since."

One prominent commission house was several months behind in the work when a deputy collector inspected its books and had to buy $9,000 worth of stamps at once and employ an extra set of clerks to catch up with its arrears.

CORPSE FOUND ON TRACKS.

Body of Unidentified Man Discovered at Thirteenth Street on Illinois Central Right of Way.

The body of an unidentified man, who had been killed by a passing engine, was discovered on the Illinois Central tracks at Thirteenth street at 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning, when the first express train left Chicago.

The corpse was removed to Buffam & Perigo's undertaking rooms, 1722 Wabash avenue, and the police are endeavoring to establish an identity. In a small book discovered in the clothing was found the name Peter Glenn, signed beneath a recommendation to the Home for Incurables for treatment. The police do not believe the book was the property of the man. Apparently the man was 40 years old, five feet ten inches in height, and weighed about 180 pounds. The body was clothed in a brown suit and a pair of blue overalls. There was no hat, and but one rubber overshoe on the right foot.

DEDICATE NEW PARISH HOUSE.

Structure Opened at St. Paul German Roman Catholic Church.

A new parish house, costing $15,000, was dedicated at the St. Paul German Roman Catholic Church, West Twenty-second place and Hoyne avenue, yesterday afternoon. The house was erected by the congregation as a gift to the pastor, the Rev. George D. Heidmann. Mayor Harrison witnessed the exercises. The Rev. Simon Berger, the Rev. Vincent Brummer, and the Rev. George D. Heidmann officiating. A banquet followed a general inspection of the house. The structure is in harmony with the church in its architecture, and is built of pressed brick with stone trimming. It is three stories high, and its interior is patterned after that of the old German homes.

Ye Corner of Ye Scientist.

A bronze medallion portrait of Professor Huxley is to be placed in the public library of Ealing, the town in which he was born.

A machine for boring in corners, and especially used to the men who do electric wiring in houses, has been invented recently and created a sensation.

Baron Toll, leader of an important expedition to explore Siberia, will establish his winter quarters on the Nerpenskaye, in the neighborhood of the Lena delta. He intends to circumnavigate the Liakhov Islands.

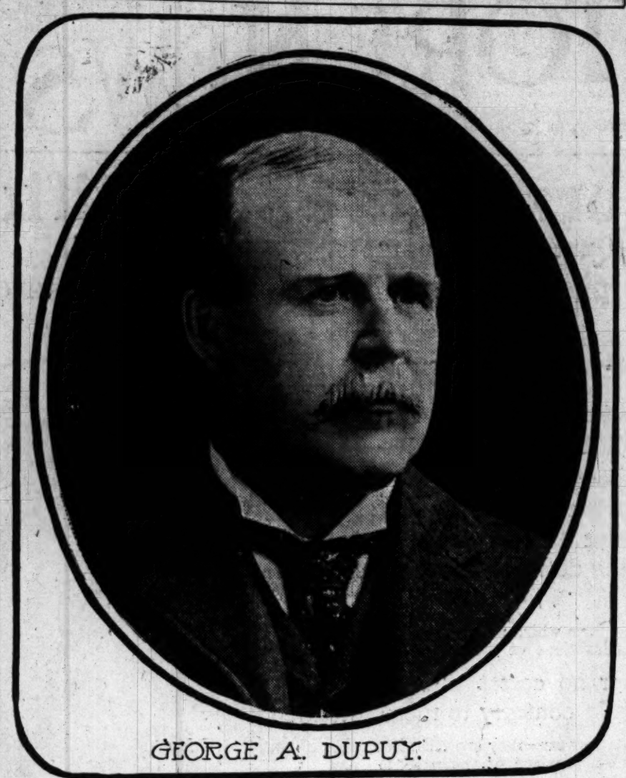
Harry de Windt, who is at the head of the party making its way overland from Paris to New York, will be in Alaska soon. While crossing the Verkhoyansk Mountains the temperature was 63° below zero and the members of the party suffered terribly.

Some rapid work in railroad building has been done on the Rock Island line through Texas and New Mexico and on the line of the Union Pacific in Wyoming. The track-laying machine was employed by the Rock Island, the section gangs putting down some two and one-half miles of rails on the level prairie. One mile a day by hand is considered rapid work.

The third annual report of the Liverpool School of Medicine shows that eight expeditions have been sent out for purposes of medical research and sanitary measures. Among the students who left the school in the last year were medical officers to Canada, India, east Africa, Penang, Sierra Leone, Uganda, Germany, Belgium, and Russia. More than 130 cases of tropical disease were treated at the school.

The 125-ton steam hammer erected at the works of the Bethlehem Steel company, South Bethlehem, Pa., in 1892—the largest steam hammer in the world—is being demolished. Visitors at the World's Fair in 1893 will remember that the hammer was a vertical-acting steam engine with a cylinder at the lower end of the piston rod. The diameter of the steam cylinder was seventy inches, the normal stroke of the piston was ten feet, and the maximum stroke twenty feet.

SEEKS REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR JUDGE.



GEORGE A. DUPUY.

Mr. Dupuy, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for a Judgeship, is a native of Illinois and was educated in this State. He was born in St. Clair County on March 4, 1858. He attended the Illinois Western University at Bloomington, and afterwards came to Chicago and completed his legal course in the Union College of Law in 1882. Upon admission to the bar he became connected with the County Attorney's office of Cook County, subsequently became Assistant Corporation Counsel under John S. Miller, and was first assistant to Corporation Counsel William G. Beale. Retiring from public service, he became a partner of E. H. Gary, and for the last three years has been a member of the firm of Rubens, Dupuy & Fisher.

As Assistant Corporation Counsel Mr. Dupuy was engaged in important litigation. The reports show that he was successful in 80 per cent of the cases conducted by him before the Appellate and Supreme Courts of Illinois, many of the cases involving matters of important municipal policy and public interest. He drafted or revised many important ordinances connected with track elevation, the lake front controversy, etc.

Mr. Dupuy is a member of the Union League and Marquette clubs and of the different bar associations, and, while a Republican, is not a partisan.

WAR ON THE SCORE CARD

DRUGGISTS LOSE ON RACES, LEADERS SEEK A CURE.

Men Who Sell Medicines Said to Have Become Demoralized by the Sheets Which Tell of the Performances of the Horses—Squander Their Cash and Their Bills Go Unpaid—Effort to Bar Out the Offending Sheets—"Tips" Also Do Harm.

The betting fever has taken possession of the druggists and their clerks to such an extent that leaders in the drug trade are preparing to start a crusade against the score cards which are distributed each evening to announce the result of the races.

An attempt will be made at the next meeting of the Chicago Retail Druggists' association to place the organization on record as opposed to the display of the score cards in any of the stores owned by its members. A resolution to that effect will be introduced, and its supporters are confident of its passage.

The agitation against the score cards began after the investigation of charges against a druggist who often left his store in the charge of an unregistered pharmacist. It developed that the proprietor had gone to the races.

Then complaints were heard by the association from some of the wholesale druggists that collections were "slow." Trade was brisk, but many of the retailers could not settle their accounts. An investigation showed that in numerous cases those behind in their accounts were frequenters of the tracks or poolrooms.

The extent of the racing fever among the druggists astonished the members of the Executive committee of the association. Druggists who never before had been known to bet or speculate were found "talking horse" instead of prescriptions.

It was "pick 'em" instead of "fill them"; "good for show or place" instead of "good for cold or fever."

According to members of the association the trouble has its source in a too diligent study of the score cards. The bulletins have been displayed for the benefit of the customers, and have been considered as necessary as the postage stamp counter. Customers would drop in to see the ball score or learn the winner of the "last race," and at first the druggist joined the group only out of curiosity. Then a customer would have a "good thing," and would "tip" it to the drug man. The result was a small bet, then demoralization.

"I shall introduce a resolution placing the association on record against the displaying of racing and score cards," said George A. Graves, a member of the druggists' Executive committee.

LOVELY BOY! QUIT HIM? NO!

Lizzie Raymond Would Like to Meet the Person Who Says She Has Left Her Husband.

On the stage of the Chicago Opera-House yesterday afternoon Lizzie Raymond sang a coster song that ran something like this:

For 'e calls me 'is own Grace Darling,
And 'e says that I'm 'is pet.

And she meant it. Ten minutes later she was declaring indignantly that a report from Boston that she had deserted her boy husband, John P. Nowell, was nonsense.

"He is the loveliest boy in the world," she said. "I mean it. I mean it literally. I have been all over the world, and could have had my pick of a lot of them. The audacity of saying I left him because he was a clerk in a Back Bay office! Why, I shall leave the stage on Sunday night and leave it permanently, and all for him.

"I left my husband four weeks ago because I was under contract to play a four-weeks' circuit. I have been on the stage for eighteen years and have never broken a contract, and my husband didn't want me to begin now. I received a long letter from him on Sunday, and I wired him today. I'd like to know who started the story that we were separated. I'd—I'd—I don't know what I would do."

DOWIE BUILDS MORE CASTLES.

Tells Followers in Zion City of the Things His Theocratic Party Will Accomplish.

At Zion City last night Dowie told of great things which he expected his "Theocratic" party to accomplish. It will advocate a national school system to give each child a good education at general expense, and will demand that the Catholic monasteries open their doors and release their inmates. A court of arbitration will be established at Zion City to settle all differences between the inhabitants. City Attorney V. V. Barnes is to be chief justice of the arbitration board and all residents must abide by its decision. A school for mechanics will also be established there "by a professor from the University of Chicago."

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD

FOSTER - RIGHTER WEDDING TAKES PLACE IN EVANSTON.

Bridal Couple Will Take a Trip to Europe, Going to Madrid for the Coronation of King Alfonso—Mrs. William Reynolds Parker Gives a Reception This Afternoon—Dames of Loyal Legion Hold Annual Meeting Next Thursday.

Evanston gave the principal wedding to yesterday's calendar, that of Miss Eva Cornelia Foster, daughter of Mr. Volney W. Foster, to Mr. Walter Leisenring Righter of Philadelphia. The ceremony took place at noon at St. Mark's Church, the Rev. Dr. Little officiating. Miss Elizabeth Powell of Buffalo was the maid of honor, and the bridemaids were Miss Marian and Miss Corinne Calhoun, Miss Mary Almslee of Oak Park, Miss Jane Righter, the groom's sister; Miss Elizabeth Boynton of Evanston, and Maria Snow of Providence, R. I.

The bride wore a gown of white satin and duchesse lace and carried a bouquet of orchids. The bridemaids' gowns were of white batiste made over pink. They wore chiffon hats trimmed with pink roses, and carried bouquets of the same flowers. A wedding breakfast was given at the Foster home.

Mr. and Mrs. Righter will go abroad on their wedding trip, sailing on Saturday on the Campania. They will go to Madrid for the coronation of King Alfonso, and while there will be the guests of Marquis Covera and Viscount Reyes, friends of Mr. Foster. They will return in July, and will live in Bryn Mawr, Pa.

Mrs. William Reynolds Parker of 491 Forty-second place will give a reception this afternoon from 3 till 6 o'clock. Assisting in receiving will be Mrs. M. Metcalf, Mrs. Samuel Carter, Mrs. William Speer, Mrs. William H. Benton, and Mrs. Painter.

Mrs. W. P. Tuttle of the Lexington gave a luncheon yesterday for Mrs. Charles E. Wilcox and Miss Wilcox of Highland Park, who have just returned from six months' absence abroad.

Miss Copelin of 5152 Kimbark avenue will give a dinner this evening for the Young-Bingham bridal party.

Dames of the Loyal Legion will hold their annual meeting on Thursday, May 1, at the Chicago Beach Hotel.

The wedding of Miss Athleen Prall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Prall of Highland Park, to Captain Frederick Leigh Munson, Twenty-fourth Infantry, U. S. A., will take place next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Trinity Church, Highland Park. A small reception will follow the ceremony at the residence of the bride's parents.

Miss Frances Keep of 485 Dearborn avenue is in New York and will sail shortly for Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Watson Blair will go abroad again this summer, and Mrs. E. W. Cramer of 78 Bellevue place will sail on May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Valentine, who arrived in New York on Wednesday from their wedding trip to Europe, will be in Chicago in a few days.

Mrs. William Scudder and Miss Kathleen Scudder of 104 Lincoln Park boulevard will go abroad in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keefer of 540 East Division street and their daughter Lillian sail for Europe next Tuesday, to be gone all summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Dempster sailed on Wednesday from New York for Italy. They will go to London for the coronation.

WOMEN'S CLUBS ON WAY WEST.

Many Delegations Bound for Convention at Los Angeles Pass Through St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., April 24.—Large parties of delegates to the convention of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs, to be held at Los Angeles, Cal., commencing on May 5, passed through St. Louis today from the East and North. The principal delegations were from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Cincinnati, and Indianapolis.

CIGARET DEALERS PAY COSTS.

Justice Gibbons Imposes Minimum Penalty and Lucy Page Gaston Makes a Protest.

H. W. Diffley, proprietor of several downtown cigar stores, was fined costs by Justice Gibbons yesterday for selling cigarets to minors. Lucy Page Gaston, who is the leader of the crusade started against the dealers, protested and insisted that a heavier penalty be imposed. W. H. Krouskup, who runs a tobacco store at 280 Clark street, also was allowed to go with the payment of costs.

A Watch on 30 Days' Trial.
To introduce our new watch, $25; $5 a month. Best time. Best value. Geo. E. Marshall, 103 State.

Marquise de Fontenoy Letter.

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ALMOST stone blind, completely broken by age and infirmity, the 85-year-old Grand Duke Adolphus of Luxemburg has surrendered the reins of government to his only son, Prince William, who has now assumed the title of Viceroy and stadtholder of the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg, exercising the powers and prerogatives of regent.

While theoretically Luxemburg does not belong to the states comprised in the federation known as the German Empire, it belongs thereto for practical purposes, being included in the customs union of the empire, and the railroad and postal systems of the grand duchy are likewise comprised in those of the German Empire.

The new stadtholder of Luxemburg is a man just 50 years of age, celebrated as one of the stoutest and most pleasure-loving Princes of Europe, and who was looked upon as the gayest of confirmed bachelors until he suddenly astonished all his friends and acquaintances by marrying nine years ago the Infanta Marie Anne of Portugal, daughter of the late ex-King Miguel of Portugal and sister of that Duke of Braganza who is at the present moment the legitimist pretender to the throne of Portugal.

Although he has now become the most devoted of husbands and a thoroughly domestic man, yet he explained at the time of his marriage that his sole object in wedding was to assure the succession to the throne of Luxemburg—in fact, that he was marrying solely for dynastic and state purposes.

So far his marriage has been useless for purposes of this character. For his consort has given birth to five girls in succession, who are barred from the throne by reason of the Salic law which prevails there. However, the people of Luxemburg still live in hope that the hereditary Grand Duchess will fulfill in course of time what they are pleased to describe as her "duties," and provide the nation with a male heir to the grand ducal throne.

The old Grand Duke who has laid down his scepter and given public expression of the fact that he is weary of his crown descends from his throne for the third time. His history has indeed been a strange one, for he reigned for more than a quarter of a century as sovereign Duke of Nassau before being deprived of his dominions and of his throne by Prussia after the war of 1866, in which he had taken sides with Austria. That war robbed him not only of his crown but also of the chief sources of his income, which was derived from the public gaming tables at Wiesbaden, which were promptly closed by Prussia.

For the next twenty-three years he lived happily and contented in Austria, spending the season at Vienna, where he still owns a magnificent palace. In 1889 he was notified of the death of King William III. of Holland and of his own accession to the latter's crown as Grand Duke of Luxemburg.

Duke Adolph, in deference to the requests of the Luxemburg officials, immediately took train for Luxemburg, arrived there, was hailed as Grand Duke and officially installed as such, when suddenly, to the consternation of all concerned, the news came that the old King of Holland had come to life again—that what had generally been believed to be his death had been a species of cataleptic trance, and that he had likewise recovered his reason, which had been clouded for several months previously.

It was added that he was furious both with his widow for taking upon herself the duties of regent of the Netherlands and with what he was pleased to describe as the "indecent haste" which his cousin Adolph had displayed in taking possession of the throne of the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg.

Accordingly, Duke Adolph left Luxemburg by night, returned to Vienna, and remained in Austria during the ensuing twelve months, for King William did not die until the end of 1890. Nor was it until he had been safely entombed in the old church at Delft, where all the Princes of the House of Orange repose, that Duke Adolph would consent to leave Vienna and to take once more possession of the grand ducal throne of Luxemburg.

The old Grand Duke until a few years ago was celebrated as one of the finest four-in-hand whips in Europe, and his numerous spills were due not to any bad driving but to the fact that he was fond of having pretty women beside him on the box seat, and that he devoted the attention to them he should have given to his horses. Within the last ten or fifteen years he has smashed his bones at least a dozen times, recovering each time from the effects of his mishap in the most extraordinary manner.

He has one brother, Prince Nicholas of Nassau, married to the divorced wife of the former Russian Chief of Police, General Doubet. She bears the title of Countess Merenberg, and is a child of Russia's most famous poet, Pouchkine. Indeed, it was her birth that led to the duel in which Pouchkine was killed by his brother-in-law, Baron Heeckeren, at the mention of whose name every patriotic Russian considers it necessary to spit on the ground.

This brother, Prince Nicholas, whose marriage is a morganatic one, and the new stadtholder and regent of Luxemburg are the only two male relatives of the aged Grand Duke, and unless the regent's wife gives birth to a boy the line of Nassau will become extinct, and the people of Luxemburg, whose neutrality is guaranteed by the great powers of Europe, will be called upon to elect either a Grand Duke or else a President—that is to say, if they chose to convert the government of their country into a republic.

If Germany were to make any attempt to take possession of it France would immediately go to war, for, while France can tolerate Luxemburg as a neutral state, absolutely devoid of any fortifications, it could not allow it to be converted into a German stronghold. Luxemburg, it may be remembered, was already once before the subject of a bitter dispute between France and Germany which brought the two nations to the verge of war. King William had arranged in 1867 to cede the grand duchy to France in return for pecuniary and other compensation. But at the last moment the scheme was frustrated through the agency of his American "belle amie," Mme. Musard, who warned the Prussian government of the project and put an end to the whole affair.

The accession of Prince William of Luxemburg to the throne of the grand duchy as regent serves to call attention to the large number of European countries that are now governed by regents. Sweden and Norway are at present under the direction of the Crown Prince, who has been appointed as regent during the absence of his father, King Oscar, in France and in Germany. Spain remains for a few days more subject to the regency of Queen Christina.

MAN A SHADOW ON CLUBS

FEDERATION OF WOMEN TO TAKE A FLING AT HIM.

Question of Admitting Their Brothers as Members Promises to Outrank the Color Issue at the Los Angeles Biennial—Two Contributors to the Official Organ Discuss the Subject and References to Sterner Sex Are Not Altogether Complimentary.

The question of whether men shall be admitted to women's clubs has reached the general federation and promises to assume an importance overshadowing even the color question. Chicago is responsible for this issue and will take a prominent part in whatever debate may result.

The biennial number of the Club Woman, the official organ of the general federation, reached Chicago club women yesterday. It contains an article which concludes with this statement:

"The question is a vital one; it can neither be ignored nor deferred—shall men be admitted to women's clubs?"

Voice of Doubt from Kentucky.

Margaret Drysdale Johnson of Kentucky writes the article in the Club Woman, expressing herself in part as follows:

"When men stand knocking for admission to women's clubs what are we going to do about it? The greatest objection to admitting them will be that in that event the cherished name of women's clubs must go and the organization be known as literary clubs or culture clubs, or something equally insipid. Then what will become of the delightful and short-lived feminine superiority?

"It might be a good idea to go slowly in the matter and admit men as associate or honorary members without the privilege of a vote. Women are not naturally selfish; they have no wish to monopolize all the culture, and in this way the men could have all the advantages of culture without too much authority. Then as time passed and it was found that their heads were not turned by their advantages, they might gradually and cautiously be admitted into full membership."

Husbandless Woman's Sarcasm.

Following this article on the admission of men to the federation is one on "The Club Husband," by Miss Alice J. Mott of Faribault, Minn., who explains at the outset that she has no "club husband," but that she feels well acquainted with the article.

"Men have occupied to me," says Miss Mott, "merely the position of an advisory board, and such, I hope, they will ever occupy to this Federation of Women's Clubs. Let us listen to their practical and disinterested advice, but let us never allow them to invade these precincts with their terrible activity, to cast us all in the shade. Meanwhile, we exclaim with Hamlet:

"'What a piece of work is man! How noble in reason! How infinite in faculties! In form and moving how express and admirable! In action how like an angel! In apprehension how like a god! the beauty of the world! the paragon of animals!'

"'The paragon of animals'—there's the test. When, in our weakness, we feel inclined to criticise the nobler sex, let us range him up with other animals and see how grandly he bears comparison. How graceful and subtle, when compared to the elephant! How pleasant and accommodating, to the bear! How humane, to the goat! How logical and independent, to the sheep! Nay, even on their own ground man surpasses the lion in magnanimity, the fox in acumen, the parrot in repartee, the monkey in versatility, the ant in thrift, the fish in self-control, the spider in all that goes to make up a valued member of a society.

"The horse is regarded as a useful animal, but statistics show that on a toilsome journey through a broken country a man can travel more hours a day, more miles to the hour, on smaller rations, than the strongest horse. The mule probably comes nearest man in utility, but I dare to say, if all the facts were known, the man is more of an absolute success than the mule.

"Then here's to men!"

Slate for Federation Officers.

Chicago women who are keeping close watch of the politics of the national federation have secured what they generally consider will be the "official" ticket at the biennial. It is of local interest, as it includes the name of a Chicago woman, Chicago at present having no national office. The ticket is as follows:

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Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Otley of Georgia.
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QUITS SPOUSE TO SAVE SOUL.

Such Is Said to Have Been Mrs. McDonald's Utterance, but She Gets No Divorce.

"I leave my husband to save my soul," is the statement Mrs. Theresa McDonald is said to have made when she deserted John B. McDonald last January. The McDonalds are Catholics, and the man had been divorced from his first wife. The second Mrs. McDonald is said to have regretted that she had married a divorced man and to have decided to leave him because of his past.

In Judge Holdom's court yesterday Mrs. McDonald was suing for divorce. She charged cruelty. A witness for the defense testified that the estrangement came about because of the divorce, and Judge Holdom dismissed the case for want of equity.

Mrs. Josephine Libby filed suit for divorce yesterday against Fred M. Libby, whose suit to recover $60,000 worth of property, of which he alleged he had been defrauded by his wife, was settled on Wednesday. The property was divided between them, the wife receiving the greater share.

After a married life of seven weeks Mrs. Helen Rosenbrock, 29 years old, was granted a divorce yesterday from Wilhelm Rosenbrock, 69 years old. Cruelty was the charge.

Walter P. Irwin, formerly well known in Ravenswood, yesterday sued his wife for divorce. The suit is brought on statutory grounds. The couple have been separated since 1900.

Morgan at the Moody Church.

The Rev. G. Campbell Morgan of London on Wednesday commenced a week's meetings in the Moody Church, under the auspices of the Northfield extension. Sessions are held each morning at 11 and at 8 each evening. The meetings will continue until Wednesday. The subject of this morning's address in the Moody Church is "The Resurrection of Jesus Christ." Tonight he will speak on "How to Study the Divine Library."

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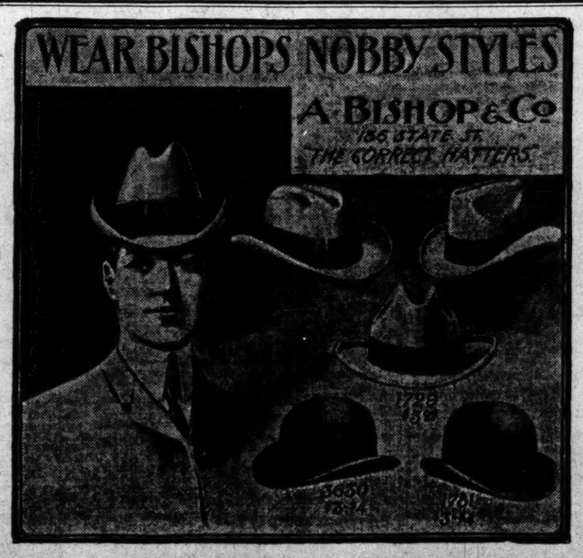

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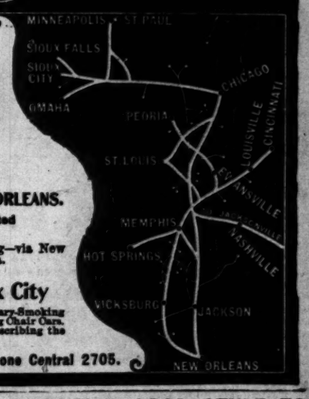

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DEATHS.

Breternitz, Henry.
Burklund, Helen L. V.
Burden, John Francis.
Bellele, A. W.
Brault, David.
Christianson, Harry.
Corson, William S.
Conley, William.
Christian, Oxen.
D'Ancona, Fannie.
De Veney, James.
Donaldson, Rachel.
Daum, Julia.
Falker, Joe.
Freese, William D.
Graeberg, Teckla.
Harper, Harry H.
Hoffman, George W.
Hartman, C. A.
Hathaway, Mrs. Ida.
Hartke, Minnie.
Heffernan, Jeremiah.
Jores, Maurice.
Long, Albert.
Lequam, Abbie J.
Laubenstein, Hattie Belle.
Miller, William J.
Mill, Jeannette Agnes.
Morrissey, James.
McMahan, Mark L.
McClernan, Virginia L.
Moynihan, Agnes.
McKenny, Mrs. Margt.
Owen, Leonard Donald.
Pendleton, Carleton Alden.
Reynolds, Sarah B.
Shanley, James.
Smith, Anna.
Sheridan, Ann.
Schiegel, Frank Jr.
Simon, Mrs. Gussie.
Schiegel, Frank Jr.
Toussaint, Mrs. Amanda.
Wunderlich, Clara.
Winkler, George.
Yaggy, Sara Emily.

BELISLE—At Alexian Brothers' Hospital, April 24, A. W., beloved son of Mrs. O. G., and brother of Joseph, Hector, and James Belisle. Funeral from residence of Hector Belisle, 1201 Flournoy-st., to Notre Dame Church at 10 o'clock, Saturday, April 26, by carriages to Calvary. Montreal (Canada) papers please copy.

BRAULT—David. Funeral from Moffett & Arpert company's undertaking establishment, 627 W. Lake-st., Friday, April 25, at 12:30. G. A. R. services by U. S. Grant Post. Burial at Elmwood.

BRETERNITZ—Henry, April 23, aged 67 years, husband of Hermina Breternitz. Funeral from 911 S. 30th-st., April 26, at 11 a. m., to Forest Home.

BERKLUND—Helen Lillie Viola, April 23, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burklund. Funeral today at 1:30 from 693 Sedgwick-st., by carriages to Graceland.

BARDEN—John Francis, aged 24 years, son of M. J. and Mary Barden. Burial from 481 14th-pl., April 26, by carriages to Calvary.

CHRISTIAN—Oxen, April 24, 1902, aged 79 years. Funeral services Saturday, April 26, at 2 o'clock at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Sophie C. Bilnebry, 531 W. Adams-st. Interment at Forest Home.

CHRISTIANSON—Harry, aged 1 year and 9 months, son of Charles and Meta Christianson. Funeral today at 1 p. m. from 362 W. Huron-st., to Waldheim.

CORSON—William S., April 22. Funeral today at 1:30 p. m. from 1504 Maple-av., Evanston, to Rosehill.

CONLEY—William, aged 6 months, son of Michael and Annie Conley. Funeral today at 10 a. m. from 1446 51st-st., by train to Mount Olivet.

D'ANCONA—Fannie, April 22, 1902, at Sumter, South Carolina, wife of Abraham D'Ancona and mother of Augustus B., Alfred E. and Edward N. D'Ancona, Estelle Levi and Corinne Levi. Funeral at Sumter, S. C. Philadelphia papers please copy.

DONALDSON—Rachel, in her fifty-ninth year, widow of Robert Donaldson. Interment at Graceland, Friday, at 2 p. m., from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Victor Gerardin, 1129 N. Halsted-st. Funeral private.

DE VENEY—James, aged 92 years. Funeral April 26, at 9 a. m. from 2403 Indiana-av., to St. Patrick's Church, thence by carriages to Calvary.

DAUM—Julia, aged 59 years, wife of Louis Daum. Funeral from 895 Park-av., April 26, at 1 p. m., to Waldheim.

FALKER—Joe, April 23, aged 15 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Falker. Funeral April 24 from 4433 Drexel-blvd.

FREESE—William D., April 24, at 190 W. 18th-st. Funeral notice later.

GREBERG—Teckla, April 20, at Passavant Hospital, aged 22 years. Funeral from 13744 E. Chicago-av., April 27, at 12:45 p. m., to Rose-hill.

HARTMAN—C. A., at St. Joseph's Hospital, Bloomington.

HATHAWAY—Mrs. Ida, sister of Mrs. R. T. Wilson. Funeral today at 9:30 a. m. from 353 S. Paulina-st. Burial at Lincoln, Ill.

HARTKE—Minnie, aged 30 years, daughter of Charles and Wilhemina Hartke. Funeral notice later.

HOFFMAN—George W., April 23, aged 76 years, husband of the late Amelia Hoffman. Funeral April 25, at 2 p. m. from Hotel Metropole. Burial at Graceland; private.

HARPER—Harry H. Harper, aged 27, beloved son of Mrs. L. P. Tryon. Wednesday, April 23. Funeral Friday, April 25, 2 p. m., from 4430 Prairie-av.

HEFFERNAN—Jeremiah. Funeral from 2031 Jackson-blvd., April 26, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Ita's Church, thence by carriages to Mount Olivet.

JORES—Maurice, April 24, at the Presbyterian Hospital. Funeral notice later.

LAUBENSTEIN—At La Grange, Ill., Hattie Belle, daughter of George H. and Marie Small Laubenstein, aged 13 years and 9 months. Funeral services Saturday afternoon, April 26, at St. Emmanuel Church, Elm and Kensington-avs., La Grange. Interment private.

LONG—Albert, husband of Mary Long. Funeral April 26, at 9 a. m., from 3822 Wallace-st., to Nativity Church, thence by carriages to Mount Olivet.

LIGHAN—Abbie Josephine, April 24, aged 5 years and 6 months. Funeral today at 1 p. m. from 183 S. May-st., to Oakwoods. Private.

MILLER—William J., beloved husband of Clara M. (Lancelford), and a prominent member of the Palmer company, at Fort Worth, Tex., April 22. Funeral from Rock Island Depot, Friday, April 25, at 8 a. m., by carriages to Rosehill.

MILL—Jeannette Agnes, April 23, aged 2 years and 6 months, daughter of James and Nettie M. Mill. Funeral April 24, from 2407 W. Ohio-st. Burial at Waldheim.

MORRISSEY—James, at his residence, 23 Elburn-av., husband of Mame Morrissey. Funeral notice later.

McLERNAN—Virginia Louise, beloved daughter of Louis F. and Louise Miller McClernan, aged 18 months. Funeral Friday, at 2:30 p. m., from 3614 Lake-av., Richmond (Va.) papers please copy.

McMAHAN—Mark L., aged 1 year and 5 months, son of Michael and Sadie McMahan. Funeral today at 10 a. m. from 6732 Carpenter-st., by carriages to Mount Olivet.

MOYNIHAN—Agnes, daughter of Michael and Honora Moynihan. Burial from the vault at Mount Olivet, April 26, at 2 p. m.

McKENNY—Mrs. Margaret. Funeral notice later.

OWEN—Leonard Donald, son of W. Leonard and Mary Owen, at Hobart, Ind. Funeral April 24.

PENDLETON—From runaway accident in Arizona April 21, 1902, Carleton Alden Pendleton of Chicago, youngest son of Dr. Alden M. Pendleton, aged 21 years and 8 months. Brother of Fred J. Pendleton, St. Johns (N. B.) papers please copy. Notice of funeral later.

REYNOLDS—Sarah B., aged 59, April 21, 1902, Sarah B. Reynolds, wife of A. S. Reynolds and mother of Charles H. Reynolds, formerly of Chicago. Funeral Wednesday, April 23.

SHANLEY—James, April 24, son of Mary and the late Michael Shanley. Funeral April 27 at 9:30 a. m. from 5228 State-st., to St. Ann's Church. Burial by train to Calvary.

SCHADEL—Frank Jr., April 23, aged 20 years, son of Frank and Laura Schadel, 4858 Evans-av. Funeral notice later.

SMITH—Anna, wife of Lyman Smith. Funeral from 486 Cleveland-av., April 24. Interment at Graceland.

SHERIDAN—Ann. Burial from the vault at Mount Olivet, April 25.

SIMON—Gussie, beloved wife of Henry Simon, and Loeb, mother of Birdie and Bessie, daughter of Mrs. Carl Kramer, Mrs. Mayer Love, and Dave Loeb, at her residence, 84 S. Leavitt-st., near Madison, at 1:30 p. m. Thursday, April 24. Funeral Sunday, April 27, at 1 p. m. Burial at Graceland.

SCHIEGEL—Frank Jr., aged 20 years, son of Frank and Laura M. (Baker) Schiegel. Member of the First Cavalry. Funeral form residence, 2953 Prairie-av., Saturday, at 10 o'clock, to Corpus Christi Church. Burial at Mount Olivet.

TOUSSAINT—Mrs. Amanda G., nee Cook, widow of Charles H. Toussaint, mother of Frank, Lulu, and Edie, sister of G. T. Cook, Mrs. Wm. Lee, and Mrs. J. A. Meeker. Funeral Friday, April 25, from late residence, 2951 Groveland-av., to St. James' Church, 29th and Wabash-av.

WUNDERLICH—Clara, April 24, aged 18 years, daughter of Louis and Elizabeth Wunderlich. Funeral notice later.

WINKLER—George, husband of Mary Winkler. Funeral from 2308 Wood-st. today, at Immanuel Church, thence by carriages to Arlington.

YAGGY—April 22, at Chicago, Sara Emily Yaggy, beloved wife of L. W. Yaggy of Lake Forest, III., daughter of the late Bishop W. J. Taylor, funeral service for the family at the residence of her sister, Mrs. G. C. Knobel, 195 S. Home-av., Saturday, for friends at Graceland Cemetery Chapel, Friday afternoon, April 25, at 2:30.

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MAILS WILL CLOSE AT THE CHICAGO postoffice today, April 25, as follows:
Germany, Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, British India, Belgium, and Cape Colony, 1 p. m.
Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Russia, Denmark, France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Russia, via S. S. Campania, 1 p. m.

F. E. COYNE, Postmaster.

OFFICAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., April 24.—Forecast:
Illinois and Indiana—Fair and warmer Friday, except probably showers by night, Saturday showers, fresh south winds.
Ohio—Increasing cloudiness Friday, probably showers in west portion by night, Saturday showers, light south winds becoming fresh.
Lower and Upper Michigan and Wisconsin—Fair Friday with rising temperature, Saturday increasing cloudiness, probably showers, fresh southeast winds.
Iowa and Missouri—Showers and warmer Friday, Saturday fair and cooler in west, showers in east portion, south winds.
Minnesota—Showers Friday and in east portion Saturday, fresh northeast winds becoming northwest.
North Dakota—Showers and cooler Friday, Saturday fair, northwest winds.
South Dakota and Nebraska—Showers Friday, with cooler in west and warm in east portion, Saturday fair with cooler in east portion, southeast winds becoming northwest.

Place of observation. Time taken: April 24, 8 p. m.	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Precipitation 24 hours.	State of weather.
Abilene	78	84	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Albany	50	58	N.W.	....	Clear
Alpena	38	46	S.E.	....	Clear
Atlanta	76	80	W.	Tr.	Clear
Amarillo	52	86	S.W.	....	Clear
Battleford	46	46	N.W.	....	Fair
Bismarck	56	62	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Buffalo	44	48	N.W.	Tr.	Clear
Boston	54	60	W.	....	Clear
Cairo	70	74	E.	....	Clo'dy
Calgary	42	42	E.	.10	Fair
Charlotte	78	84	S.	....	Fair
Cheyenne	60	60	S.W.	....	Fair
Chicago	42	46	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
Cincinnati	64	66	E.	....	Clear
Cleveland	50	62	E.	....	Clear
Concordia	62	68	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Davenport	62	66	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Denver	64	70	S.	....	Clo'dy
Des Moines	64	70	S.	....	Clo'dy
Detroit	52	60	E.	....	Clear
Dodge	84	90	S.E.	....	Fair
Dubuque	60	64	E.	....	Clo'dy
Duluth	38	38	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
El Paso	82	88	W.	....	Clo'dy
Edmonton	40	46	W.	....	Fair
Galveston	72	76	S.E.	....	Clear
Grand Haven	42	48	N.W.	....	Clear
Green Bay	42	52	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Havre	52	56	N.E.	....	Fair
Helena	44	50	S.	....	Clo'dy
Huron	62	66	S.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Indianapolis	64	66	S.	....	Fair
Jacksonville	74	86	S.	....	Clear
Kansas City	60	60	S.	.06	Clo'dy
Lander	40	44	W.	.08	Clo'dy
Little Rock	76	80	S.E.	Tr.	Clear
Los Angeles	58	64	W.	.04	Clear
Marquette	34	36	E.	....	Clear
Memphis	78	80	S.E.	....	Clear
Medicine Hat	50	54	N.E.	....	Clear
Milwaukee	40	48	S.E.	....	Clear
Minnedosa	46	48	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Montgomery	80	86	W.	....	Clear
Montreal	40	48	N.	.04	Clear
Nashville	74	78	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
New Orleans	72	78	S.E.	....	Clear
New York City	60	65	W.	....	Clear
Norfolk	56	66	S.E.	....	Clear
North Platte	64	68	S.	....	Fair
Oklahoma	80	84	S.	....	Clear
Omaha	66	72	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Oswego	40	50	W.	....	Clear
Palestine	78	84	S.	....	Clear
Parkersburg	62	68	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Pittsburg	62	66	S.W.	....	Clear
Pueblo	70	72	N.W.	....	Clear
Qu' Appelle	46	48	N.E.	....	Fair
Rapid City	50	56	N.E.	....	Clo'dy
San Antonio	80	84	S.E.	....	Clear
San Francisco	54	56	W.	.28	Fair
St. Louis	62	68	S.E.	Tr.	Rain
St. Paul	50	50	S.E.	.10	Clo'dy
Salt Lake City	44	50	S.E.	.10	Rain
Ste. Marie	36	36	N.W.	Tr.	Clear
Springfield, Ill.	62	66	W.	....	Clo'dy
Springfield, Mo.	60	64	S.E.	.68	Clo'dy
Vicksburg	76	82	S.	....	Clear
Washington	62	62	S.	....	Clear
White River	36	42	W.	Tr.	Fair
Williston	54	58	N.E.	....	Fair
Winnipeg	34	44	N.E.	Tr.	Clo'dy

WEATHER IN CHICAGO.

The temperature as observed yesterday by L. Mannasse, optician, 46 East Madison street, was as follows: Thermometer—7 a. m., 40 degrees; 9 a. m., 49; 10 a. m., 49; 11 a. m., 49; noon, 49; 1 p. m., 49; 3 p. m., 48; 6 p. m., 49. Barometer—8 a. m., 29.76; 6 p. m., 29.63.

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued by the Health department yesterday:

Bosse, Amelie, 73; 753 Sedgwick-st. April 22.
Burns, Henry E., 31; 1336 73d-st., April 23.
Cleaver, Susana, 45; 1336 73d-st., April 24.
Christiansen, Johannes, 41; 639 N. Campbell-av., April 23.
Cosgrove, Thomas, 38; 246 Milwaukee-av., April 23.
Daum, Julia, 59; 895 Park-av., April 23.
De Horne, Joseph, 56; 526 N. Rockwell-st., April 23.
Forbes, Albert M., 63; W. Monroe-st., April 21.
Gage, John, 38; 558 W. Erie-st., April 22.
Hoffman, George W., 76; Hotel Metropole, April 23.
Hussander, Martha, 68; 3 Burlington-pl., April 21.
Hathaway, Ida S., 33; 345 Paulina-st., April 23.
Jones, John, 45; 91 Desplaines-st., April 19.
Kenny, Margaret, 63; 2910 Harrison-st., April 23.
Keosh, James F. 39; 1192 Wrightwood-av., April 23.
Lademann, Julia, 59; 1102 N. Oakley-av., April 23.
Langkow, Willie, 7; 2047 Wallace-st., April 23.
Leginska, Eva, 37; 356 N. Carpenter-st., April 23.
Murphy, George, 73; 173 Austin-av., April 22.
Nemee, Frank, 57; 628 17th-st., April 23.
Payne, Stephen, 71; 531 State-st., April 21.
Pooley, Napoleon, 18; 128 Wells-st., April 23.
Stolz, Katie, 77; 546 Noble-st., April 23.
Seaman, Joseph, 79; 6401 Hamilton-av., April 22.
Szymkowiak, Ignac, 32; 152 Frankfort-st., April 23.
Spitz, Henry, 40; 205 Washington-st., April 21.
Sandaker, Ole, 91; 1834 Ridge-av., April 22.
Smith, Ann, 44; 406 Cleveland-av., April 22.
Sullivan, Patrick, 40; 111 Calumet-pl., April 22.
Systo, Martin, 40; 4 Lessing-st., April 22.
Schwartz, Joseph, 39; 262 W. Chicago-av., April 22.
Trudeau, Adelia A., 66; 3219 Groveland-av., April 22.
Vogt, Charles, 46; 272 North-av., April 22.
Wunderlich, Clara, 18; 920 W. 12th-pl., April 24.
Wetzel, Olga, 34; 11 Crosby-st., April 21.
Westburg, Johanna A., 68; 5627 Wentworth-av., April 22.
Wattman, Hilma M., 52; 120 Chicago-av., April 21.
Wekmer, Minnie C., 59; 145 Oakwood-blvd., April 23.
Wolski, Joseph, 19; 1201 Irving-av., April 23.
Wries, Maggie, 54; 46 Fullerton-av., April 23.
Winkler, George, 38; Cook County Hospital, April 23.
Yaggy, Sarah, 48; 195 Hoyne-av., April 22.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FILED FOR RECORD Thursday, April 24, 1902:

Leland-av., 84 w of Paulina-st., s f, 63.3x 91, incumbrance $15,000, April 19 Charles Woodward to Emma J. Weaver. $25,000
Normal-av., 175 s of 63d-st., w f, 100x125. Jan. 20 [Le Roy Webber Bosserman to Emma W. Bosserman, both of Laporte, Ind.] None
20th-st., 118 e of Center-av., s f, 125x211, or through to 19th-pl., March 27 [The Diamond Match Co. to Western Casket Co., corporations of Illinois] 17,500
Dover-st., s w cor Wilson-av., s f, 40x151, incumbrance $6,500, April 9 [Joseph E. Flanagan quitclaims to William C. Biedenweg] April 23. 15,000
Irving Park-av., 304½ w of Southport, s f, 50x125, April 22 [John Allbeck to Anna Jung] 13,000
Wilcox-st., s e cor S. 41st-av., s f, 25x121, April 10 [John W. H Higbee to John Stutz] 12,000
Prairie-av., promises No. 4012, 50x160, April 21 [Lena Rosenthal to Luella M. Letts] 10,000
Hinman-st., 65 w of Orleans, s f, 20x100, April 21 [Catherine Gannon et al. to Edwin G. Foreman] 9,000
Madison-av., 80 s of 52d-st., w f, 20x124, March 26 [George W. Palmer to John T. Richards] 9,000
South Park-av., No. 2413, 20x145, April 22 [Johanna Lewy to John G. H. Lampadius] 8,500
45th-pl., 228 e of Grand-blvd., s f, 25x124, April 21 [Jetta Freedman to Louis Goodman] 8,000
Division-st., 335 w of Lincoln Park-blvd., n f, 22x98½, April 16 [Frances M. Vanderhoof to George H. Taylor] 8,000
Monroe-av., 100 s of 68th-st., w f, 50x165, April 10 [Lavina E. Sheren to Joseph L. Davis] 6,500
Pensacola-av., n e cor Hoyne, s f, 187½x 125, April 8 [Charles S. Naslund to Emil Kroll] 6,500
Lexington-st., 223 e of Homan-av., n f, 22x98½, incumbrance $3,000, April 23 [John J. Lyons to Margaret C. Smith] 6,200
Paulina-st., 200 s of Wabansia-av., w f, 25x124, April 26 [Clara Kreft et al. to Elizabeth Simmick] 6,000
Wabansia-av., 76½ e of Ashland, n f, 25½ x125, April 12 [Rudolf Brand to Albert Jankowski] 5,840
Central Park-av., 560 n of Ogden-av, w f, 25x125, March 31 [Margaret Duffie to Edward Stallmann] 5,700
Lexington-st., 265 w of Washtenaw-av., n f, 20x124.9, April 17 [Oscar Beyer to James Hosey] 5,500
Huron-st., 90 w of Orleans, s f, 20x100, April 18, 1902 [Bridget Dyer to Edwin O. Foreman] 4,000
Indiana-st., 364½ w of W. 53d-av., s f, 30x 150, incumbrance $2,000, April 22 [Irvine J. Moffat to Charles V. Conyne] 3,900
Van Buren-st., w cor S. 202d, 25x124, April 23 [Josephine Easterly to Sarah Helen Taylor] 3,600
Aa-st., 210 s of 61st, w f, 25x116, incumbrance $1,600, April 5 [Esther Olson to Eugene L. Sarre] 3,600
19th-st., 25 e of Morgan, n f, 20x100, April 21 [Anna Kucera to Josef Schlehofer et al.] 3,000
Lake-st., 250 e of Kedzie-av., s f, 50x150, more or less, April 10 [Charles Lawson Stirret et al. to Schriver Laundry Co.] 2,800
Rhodes-av., 234 s of 87th-st., e f, 16½x 135.06, April 12 [heirs and devisees of Anna H. Clarke to Julius I. and Mary K. Sangler] 2,700
Walnut-av., 149 n of Randolph-st., s f, 40x 177, April 1 [Ellen Doran to Mary Ann Chard] 2,700
Ladina-st., 148 n of 61st, e f, 100x132.93, incumbrance $1,000, Dec. 13, 1898 [Arch. N. McCague to Samuel P. Tempieton] 2,500
47th-st., 74 w of Lincoln, n f, 25x120, April 19 [Frank Hubacek to Frank Capak] 2,250
Hamlin-av., 96 n of Hirsch-st., w f, 24x 124, incumbrance $1,000, April 23 [John C. Peterson to Sebastian Schladweiler] 2,200

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Emerald-av., 246 s of 50th-st., w f, 25x130¾, April 9 [S. Leonard Boyce to Carl J. and Matilda Oyer] 2,200
Tripp-av., 199 s of Bloomingdale, w f, 26x 125, April 17 [Mathilde Stein to Adolph Wenger] 2,125
Wood-st., 286 s of North-av., s f, 20x125, April 22 [John Elmer to Richard Elsner] .. 2,000
Hamlin-pl., 150 w of Southport, s f, 25x125, April 22 [Harriet B. Canty to Ettre Ham] .. 2,000
Marshfield-av., 184 n of 47th-st., w f, 24x 121, April 22 [Teresie Brullow to Anna Brullow] 2,000
Aberdeen-st., 237 s of 50th-st., e f, 25x125½, incumbrance $2,000 [William Mills to John J. Schofield et al.] 2,000
N. 44th-av., 130 n of Byron-st., w f, 30x122, April 21 [Bertha J. Cordts to Arnold Holinger] 1,260
Monticello-av., 146 n of Grace-st., e f, 50x 125, March 20 [Theodore Stensland to Samuel N. Davis] 1,600
Irving Park-av., 108 e of Drake, s f, 25x117, March 14 [A. H. Hill to Hans J. Brandt] .. 1,000
Bingham-st., 360 e of Cornelia-st., s f, 24x106, April 21 [Opolonia Hartwig et al. by M. in C., to Herman A. Kolze] 1,333
Sacramento-av., 47 n of 27th-st., e f, 24x 125, April 14 [Joseph S. Mattas to John and Anna Ilko] 1,200
35th-pl., 149 e of California-av., s f, 25x126, April 22 [Marie E. Pratte et al., by M. in C., to Magdalena Spengler] 1,325
2206 Wilmot-av., 97 s of Wilmot, w f, 24x100, April 22 [Hugo Dalmar to Julia E. Gottlieb] 1,900
Marshfield-av., 125 s of 52d-st., w f, 50x125. April 12 [Mary S. Moulton to Helena Hagner] 1,000
63d-st., 150 e of Ashland-av., s f, 25x125, March 15 [Thomas R. Morony to Mary A. McGarr] 1,000
Calumet-av., 97 s of 60th-st., w f, 20x 121 1-6, April 18 [Ignatz Freund to Julius Freund] 1,600
May-st., 24 n of 80th, w f, 50x124, incumbrance $500, Jan. 11, 1899 [Harry C. Wade to Samuel P. Templeton] 1,200
Sawyer-av., 50 s of 63d-st., w f, 25x126, incumbrance $900, April 11 [William H. Myers to Silas S. Finney] 1,250
Central Park-blvd., 50x125 n Flournoy-st., incumbrance $8,000, revenue $1, April 23 [Anders E. Anderson to L. Larsen Flis-berg] 1
2436 Michigan-av., 25x191½, April 10 [Helen R. Gardiner to James A. Murphy] 1
State-st., s cor 63d, no buildings, except part, revenue stamps $7.75, Feb. 8 [Illinois Brick company to James and Henry B. Maxwell] 1
Loomis-st., 217 n of 63d, w f, 25x117, incumbrance of $800, April 5 [Rose Trobianow to Peter Petrich] 1
Flournoy-st., 98 e of Homan-av., n f, 25x 124, April 22 [David Gillespie quitclaims to Peter A. Petrich] 1
Same property, April 23 [Oliver J. Petitgrew quitclaims to Emma Eliza Gillespie] 1
State-st., 385 s of 40th, 25x100, April 21 [J. T. Bright to Charles E. Brady] 10,000
Emerald-av., 150 s of 45th-st., e f, 624x 115½, March 10 [S. M. Rice to Joseph A. Dean] 15,000
Larchmont-av., 173 s of Lincoln-st., n f, 25x120.9, April 2 [W. J. Dillon to Michael Hoffman] 4,200
Adams-st., 167 to 161, 76x128, n w cor Adams and La Salle-sts., undivided tenth interest, revenue stamps reserves the possession and all the rents for her natural life, also the right to lease property for a term of not to exceed 21 years without cooperation or consent of the grantee, subject to incumbrances. April 14 [Ada Smallwood to Ida L. Thomsen und Von Colditz] 1
E. Ravenswood Par, 92 s of Sunnyside-av., w f, 50x125, March 1 [Mary W. Rice to Dorthea Nelson] 1
N. 41st-ct., 137 n of Addison-st., w f, 50x 125, March 25 [Mary L. Cookingham to Anna E. Cookingham] 2,500
Robey-st., 97 s of Thomas-st., s f, 24x103½, Mary A. Thomas Buffern to Cong. Moses Monteflore Home 1,200
Franklin-st., 150 s of Division, w f, 25x 100, April 24 [E. Stock to Ann Eaton] 4,000
Grand-av., 50 w of Western, s f, 22x100, more or less, April 23 [M. W. Gage quitclaims to John T. Curl] 1
Same property, April 16 [John T. Curl to Fannie Freelo] 1,650
Buffalo-av., 300 n of 84th-st., s f, 25x124, April 7 [M. Konieczny to W. Owczarsok] .. 2,500
47th-av., 462 s of Madison-st., e f, 49.2x 125, April 18 [Charles E. Brady to Jasper T. Bright] 7,000
Warren-av., 212 w of Campbell, n f, 24x125, April 19 [H. Smith to Mary Mahon] 3,500
Gladys-av., 175 w of S. 42d, s f, 25x124, April 7 [L. Sage to Alton D. Orvis] 4,000
19th-pl., s w cor Wood-st., n f, 48½x125, March 27 [W. Heyden et al., to Anton and Peter Opila] 5,000
Kroll-st., 116 n of 26th, s f, 25x100, April 7 [P. Gaertner to Simon Stumps] 3,500
Wall-st., 515 s of 32d-pl., w f, 24x124, April 12 [A. Hardies to Andrew Hlasney] .. 1,200
24th-st., ne cor Washtenaw-av., s f, 24x124, April 23 [D. H. Elliott to Edward R. Sege] 1,485

BUILDING PERMITS.

THE FOLLOWING PERMITS WERE ISSUED by the Building department yesterday:

M. H. Serum, 2-story brick flat, 274 Chris-tiana-av. ..... $ 2,800
D. M. Peterson, 1-story brick cottage, 775 N. 42d-av. 1,000
William McDermott, 1½-story frame cottage, 2734 N. 45th-av. 1,500
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Metropolitan West Side Elevated R. R. Co., 1-story brick inspection-house, 131-41 Linden-pl. 7,000
H. Balizarak, 3-story brick flat, 1416 W. 21st-st. 4,000
C. Bartodsy, 2-story brick flat, 36 Bradley-pl. 5,000
Metropolitan West Side Elevated R. R. Co., 1 and 2 story brick inspection-house, 1930-36 S. 40th-av. 7,000
John Hanzl, 3-story brick flat, 591 W. 17th-st. 6,500
W. J. Dellas, 1 and 2 story brick addition, 1535 W. Congress-st. 2,500
A. C. Boettiger, 1-story frame cottage, 1008-st. and Wabash-av. 1,000
William L. De Beck, 3-story brick apartment building, 5814-22 Indiana-av. 18,000
William L. De Beck, 3-story brick apartment building, 334-6 62d-st. 3,900
William L. De Beck, 3-story brick flat, 5824 Indiana-av. 5,000
William L. De Beck, 3-story brick apartment building, 6206-11 Monroe-av. 18,000
William L. De Beck, 3-story brick apartment building, 6201-8 Monroe-av. 20,000
William L. De Beck, 3-story brick apartment building, 5216-18 Madison-av. 12,000
A. A. Siebert, 1-story frame cottage, 8430 Kerfoot-av. 1,000
John Cheski, 2-story frame flat, 3237 Leavitt-st. 1,000
Hastige & Wheeler, three 2-story frame dwellings, 2725-2728-2730 N. Robey-st. 7,500
C. Berg, 1-story frame addition, 909 Melrose-st. 1,800
William A. Hofman, 2-story frame flat, 140 Irving Park-blvd. 2,800
John Peterson, 2-story brick flat, 2459 Ontario-st. 3,000
Louis Fendl, 2-story brick flat, 1117 Hamlin-av. 2,500
John Erickson, 2-story brick flat, 5614 Morgan-st. 2,800
Charles E. Bartley, 3-story brick apartment building, 1014-18 58th-st. 16,000
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Pitcher Oniel was wild, and this, combined with two passed balls and as many errors, netted the locals eight runs in the first two innings. After that Wickem went in and pitched clever ball. Hahn pitched well and was given good support. Score:

Cincinnati.	R	B	P	A	E
Hoy, cf.	2	1	2	0	0
Dobbs, lf.	1	0	1	1	0
Beckley, 1b.	1	3	13	0	0
Crawford, rf.	1	0	1	0	0
Beck, 2b.	0	2	0	4	0
Corcoran, ss.	1	1	4	3	0
Steinf'd, 3b.	2	1	2	3	0
Peitz, c.	1	1	6	1	0
Hahn, p.	0	0	0	6	0
Totals.	9	9	27	18	0

St. Louis.	R	B	P	A	E
Farrell, 2b.	0	0	2	5	0
Smoat, cf.	0	1	1	0	0
Hartman, 3b.	0	1	2	0	0
Barclay, lf.	1	2	0	0	0
Krueger, ss.	2	1	2	3	1
Donovan, rf.	0	1	1	0	1
Hazelton, 1b.	1	1	9	0	0
M. J. Oneil, c.	0	1	3	0	0
J. A. Oneil, p.	0	0	0	0	2
Wycker, p.	0	2	0	6	0
Totals.	4	9	24	17	4

Cincinnati	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—3
St. Louis	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hits—Krueger, Beck, Steinfeld. Stolen bases—Cincinnati, 2. Double play—Farrell-Krueger-Hazelton. First base on balls—Off Oneil, 1; off Wycker, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Oneil, 1. Struck out—By Wycker, 2; by Hahn, 5. Passed balls—Oneil, 2. Time—1:50. Umpire—Emslie.

Boston, 8; New York, 4.

New York, April 24.—The Boston and New York baseball clubs broke even in the series of games which was finished today at the Polo grounds, each side having won two. Today's game was won by Boston by a score of 8 to 4. Mathewson pitched for New York. Long's fielding at short stop was the feature of the game. Score:

Boston.	R	B	P	A	E
Cooley, cf.	1	1	2	0	0
Tenney, 1b.	2	3	7	3	1
Dement, 2b.	1	1	5	0	1
Courtney, rf.	1	0	0	1	0
Carney, lf.	1	1	2	0	0
Grem'er, 3b.	0	1	1	2	0
Long, ss.	1	1	1	6	0
Kittridge, c.	1	1	7	2	0
Malarkey, p.	0	1	2	5	0
Totals.	8	10	*26	18	4

New York.	R	B	P	A	E
V. Hall'n, lf.	0	0	1	0	0
Brodie, cf.	0	0	1	0	0
Lauder, 3b.	0	1	2	0	0
Doyle, 1b.	1	1	10	0	0
Dell'h'ty, rf.	1	1	0	0	0
Smith, 2b.	1	1	3	4	1
Dunn, ss.	1	1	2	0	1
Yeager, c.	0	1	7	3	0
Math'w'n, p.	0	1	0	2	0
Totals.	4	7	27	9	3

*Smith out, hit by batted ball.

Boston	0	0	1	0	4	1	0	1	—8	
New York	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	—4	

Two-base hits—Greminger, Kittridge, Malarkey. Three-base hit—Cooley. Sacrifice hits—Demont, Malarkey, Delehanty. Stolen bases—Van Haltren, Dunn, Tenney, Long. Double play—Long-Tenney. First base on balls—Off Mathewson, 1; off Malarkey, 6. Struck out—By Mathewson, 6. Passed ball—Yeager. Wild pitch—Mathewson. Time—1:42. Umpire—O'Day. Attendance—4,200.

Brooklyn, 16; Philadelphia, 6.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 24.—Good batting by Brooklyn and weird fielding on the part of Philadelphia gave the visitors the last game of the series. Voorhees essayed to pitch for the locals, but he was wild and ineffective. Salisbury, who succeeded him, was no improvement. Score:

Brooklyn.	R	B	P	A	E
Keeler, rf.	5	4	2	0	0
Dolan, cf.	2	4	3	0	0
M'Carthy, lf.	1	2	2	0	0
Dahlen, ss.	1	1	1	1	0
Flood, 2b.	2	1	4	4	0
Hildeb'd, 1b.	1	1	12	0	0
Irwin, 3b.	1	1	3	2	0
Ahern, c.	0	0	6	0	1
McMackin, p.	3	0	0	2	0
Totals.	16	16	27	8	1

Philadel'a.	R	B	P	A	E
Thomas, cf.	2	3	4	1	1
Barry, rf.	0	1	0	0	0
Browne, lf.	2	2	1	1	0
Douglass, 1b.	0	0	10	2	0
Jacklitsch, c.	1	0	4	2	0
Hulswitt, ss.	1	2	2	1	2
Halmiton, 2b.	0	1	2	3	0
Childs, 2b.	0	1	4	5	0
Voorhees, p.	1	1	0	3	1
Salisbury, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	6	10	27	17	7

Brooklyn	1	0	0	6	0	2	2	0	5	—16
Philadelphia	1	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—6

Two-base hits—Keeler, McCreery, Browne, Hulswitt. Home run—Flood. Sacrifice hit—Dolan. Stolen bases—Keeler, (2); Thomas, Barry. Double plays—Flood-McCarthy; Flood-Dahlen. First base on balls—Off McMackin, 2; off Voorhees, 8; off Salisbury, 2. Hit by pitched balls—Jacklitsch, McMackin. Struck out—By McMackin, 2. Wild pitch—Voorhees. Time—2:05. Umpire—Brown.

ST. LOUIS WINS SECOND GAME.

Browns Defeat Cleveland by Score of 4 to 2—Blues Lose Out on Errors in Sixth Inning.

St. Louis, Mo., April 24.—St. Louis won again from Cleveland today, the visitors' raw work in the field allowing the home team to get a lead of two runs after the score had been tied in the sixth inning. Score:

St. Louis.	R	B	P	A	E
Burkett, lf.	0	0	2	0	0
Heidr'k, cf.	0	2	2	0	0
Jones, rf.	0	0	4	0	0
And'son, 1b.	1	0	15	2	0
Wallace, ss.	1	0	0	3	2
Padden, 2b.	1	1	2	4	0
McC'nick, 3b.	1	2	0	2	0
Moloney, c.	0	1	4	1	0
Harper, p.	0	1	0	3	0
Totals.	4	8	27	15	3

Cleveland.	R	B	P	A	E
P'kering, cf.	0	0	1	0	0
McC'thy, lf.	0	0	1	0	0
Harvey, rf.	0	1	0	0	0
Schreck, 1b.	2	1	12	1	1
Bonsall, c.	0	1	3	2	1
Bradley, 3b.	0	1	3	5	0
Gochnaur, ss.	0	0	4	0	0
Schreck, 2b.	0	0	2	3	0
Taylor, p.	1	0	0	1	0
Totals.	2	5	24	16	3

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	—4
Cleveland	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2

Two base hit—McCormick. Sacrifice hits—Pickering, Bradley. Double plays—Padden-Anderson-Moloney, Goehnaur-Schreck-Bradley. Struck out—By Harper, 1; by Taylor, 4. Bases on balls—Off Harper, 4; off Taylor, 3. Time—1:38. Umpire—Carruthers.

Baltimore, 6; Philadelphia, 2.

Baltimore, Md., April 24.—The home team won from Philadelphia in the first inning today. A base on balls, three two-baggers, a three-bagger, a single, a sacrifice and an error by Plank netted six runs. After that Plank steadied and stopped the run-getting. Hughes pitched a good game for the home team. Score:

Baltimore.	R	B	P	A	E
Gilbert, ss.	1	0	4	5	2
Sheck'd, cf.	1	1	2	1	0
Kelley, 3b.	1	2	1	0	0
Seymour, rf.	1	2	0	0	0
Will'ms, 2b.	1	1	3	5	0
Selback, lf.	1	2	3	0	0
McGann, 1b.	0	0	11	0	0
Robinson, c.	0	0	3	2	0
Hughes, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals.	6	9	27	15	2

Philadelphia.	R	B	P	A	E
Hartzel, lf.	1	1	0	0	0
Powers, c.	0	1	4	1	0
Davis, 1b.	0	0	11	0	0
L. Cross, 3b.	0	0	1	3	0
Flick, rf.	0	1	2	0	0
Seybold, cf.	0	1	1	0	0
M. Cross, ss.	0	0	2	5	1
Powers, c.	0	0	0	1	0
Plank, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals.	2	6	24	16	2

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2

Stolen base—Hartzel. Two-base hits—Sheckard, Selback, Robinson. Three-base hit—Williams. Double plays—McGann [unassisted]; Gilbert-Williams-McGann; Plank-Powers-Davis. Bases on balls—Off Hughes, 2; off Plank, 1. Hit by pitcher—By Plank, 2. Struck out—By Hughes, 2; by Plank, 4. Sacrifice hits—McGann, Fultz, Hughes. Time—1:45. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

Boston, 11; Washington, 3.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—Boston straightened Carrick's curves out for seventeen hits and won today's game easily. The batting of both Freeman and Drill and a one-handed catch of a liner by Wolverton were features. Score:

Washing'n.	R	B	P	A	F
Ryan, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Keister, cf.	0	1	1	0	0
Wolv'n, 3b.	0	1	1	5	1
Delehy, lf.	0	0	2	1	1
Coughlin, 2b.	1	1	2	3	0
Carey, 1b.	0	0	12	0	0
Ely, ss.	0	0	1	3	1
Drill, c.	1	1	8	1	0
Carrick, p.	0	0	1	2	0
Totals.	3	5	29	15	3

Boston.	R	B	P	A	E
Parent, ss.	2	3	0	4	1
Stahl, cf.	0	1	2	0	0
Collins, 3b.	3	2	2	1	0
Freeman, rf.	1	4	2	0	0
Ferris, 2b.	2	2	3	7	0
La Ch'e, 1b.	0	1	13	0	1
Ferris, 2b.	2	2	3	7	0
Criger, c.	1	1	5	0	0
Young, p.	1	2	1	1	0
Totals.	11	17	27	16	2

Washington	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	—3
Boston	2	1	0	0	3	0	4	1	0	—11

Two-base hits—Freeman [3], Young, Stahl. Home runs—Collins, Drill, Ferris. Double plays—Parent-Ferris-La Chance; Wolverton-Coughlin. Base on balls—Off Young, 1. Hit by pitcher—Keister. Struck out—By Carrick, 1; by Young, 3. Time—1:40. Umpire—Sheridan.

COUNTER MOVE IN LAJOIE CASE.

American League Prepares to Fight Injunction and Serves Subpoenas on Prominent Baseball Men.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 24.—[Special.]—Another chapter in the Lajoie baseball case was opened today. A representative of William Jay Turner, attorney for Lajoie, served subpœnas upon Manager Hanlon, Keeler, Donovan, Dahlen, and Irwin of the Brooklyn club, and Manager Shettsline, Thomas, Iburg, Felix, Douglass, and Hallman of the Philadelphia to appear in Common Pleas Court No. 5 at 10 o'clock next Monday morning. A call was also issued and served upon Colonel John I. Rogers to produce the constitution and rules of the Philadelphia club, as well as all the books of the club for the season of 1899, 1900, 1901, and 1902, to be produced at the same time. It is reported that more subpœnas will be served tomorrow.

President Ban Johnson of the American league reached Philadelphia, and, together with President Shibe of the local club, held a conference this afternoon with Lawyer Richard C. Dale. They formulated plans to oppose the application of Colonel John I. Rogers for a permanent injunction to restrain Lajoie from playing with the Athletics.

President Johnson returned to Washington late this afternoon. He says he is satisfied Lajoie will play on the Philadelphia American league team this year.

Heidrick Case Up Today.

St. Louis, Mo., April 24.—In the Circuit Court today Judge Fisher announced he would defer consideration of the petition of Frank Robison, President of the St. Louis National league club, for an order against Emmett Heidrick, restraining him from playing with any other club. The court said the matter would be taken up tomorrow. George Tebeau, former manager of the St. Louis club, and Bill Joyce, former manager of the New York team, were present as witnesses for Robison.

Bridgeport, 6; Yale, 5.

New Haven, Conn., April 24.—[Special.]—Yale tried a freshman pitcher against the Bridgeport State league nine today and almost won out, although the youngster was batted heavily. Captain Geurnsey played a star game at third. Score:

Yale	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	—5
Bridgeport	0	1	0	0	1	2	2	0	*—	6

Batteries—Wescott and Winslow; Corcoran and O'Rourke.

WHITE SOX GET TWO HITS

TIGERS BLANK THE CHAMPIONS THROUGH SIEVER'S WORK.

Canadian Southpaw, Accustomed to Wintry Blasts, Astonishes the Chilled Locals with an Assortment of Benders Against Which Their Best Efforts Avail Nothing—Three Runners Reach First Base and Only One the Middle Cushion.

Some days seem colder than others.—C. A. Comiskey.

Helpless as toddling infants in the hands of one Ed Siever, whose shoots were the only warm things at the South Side baseball park yesterday, the White Stockings suffered the double disgrace of a defeat and a whitewash by the Detroit Tigers. The finish was 5 to 0.

No such remarkable exhibition of pitching has been seen this early in any season as that presented by the left-handed young Canadian who faced the two-time champions and made them forget they had even seen a pitcher before. He let them down with two hits in nine innings, and one of these was made in the ninth by Callahan, a substituted batter. Exactly three white-stockinged players reached first base, and as many as one of them lived to see second. That is the total of the execution permitted by Mr. Siever in the face of a team of veterans, many of whom have faced the best twirling in the country and solved it.

Siever's home is in the north where days like yesterday are typical July weather. He had no fear of the icicles in the air nor of any ill effects upon his bread winning elbow. Siever is a fireman by profession, and keeps in training and in practice during the winters by shooting coal into the mouth of a big Grank Trunk engine. His marksmanship was perfect, for only one man was permitted to amble to first on four balls.

Solve Patterson at End.

Against such imperviousness Roy Patterson looked little like the "St. Croix wonder" at the finish, but he pitched a good game at that for this time of year. Patterson might be a veteran, judging by the dislike he has for cold weather pitching, but he was as invincible as his opponent for seven innings. Then the Tigers took his measure and pounded in more than enough runs to win. The champions gave him the same perfect support as Callahan had the day before. The infield was the same stone wall and the visitors tried in vain to puncture it. Finally they gauged the situation and attacked the flanks. By smashing the ball close to the right or left foul line or driving it far over the outfield they succeeded in getting enough clean ones to manufacture five runs and a victory. Twice they beat out slow infield hits and once landed a ball between the infield and outfield, but the rest of their nine hits were close to the boundary lines of the field.

The Tigers shook off the yellow tissue which covered their hands in the opening game and vied with the White Sox in the field. Not an error was made by either team nor anything that resembled one. Casey, Elberfeld, Strang, and Isbell performed the fielding stunts which called forth most applause from the congealed rooters, but steadiness and confidence characterized the work of the whole eighteen players.

Out by Reckless Base Running.

There were two men out in the fourth inning before the champions succeeded in getting a man on speaking terms with Dillon at first base. Then Green was permitted to walk. He stole second, and that was the limit. Davis popped a little one to Gleason and put on his mitt. For two more innings not a champion saw first, but in the seventh Green ripped off the first safe hit for the home team. It was a liner to right. But he almost immediately nullified his good work by reckless base running on Davis' fly. He went so far down the line that he could not get back after the catch and no possible chance to score. The only other White Sock to accomplished anything toward circuit chasing was Callahan, who batted for Patterson in the last half of the ninth and made the usual hit under those circumstances. He never turned the next corner, for the other three batters in that inning popped out easily.

The Tigers had been doing a little better with the stick, but it was a long time before they accomplished permanent results. In the second inning a base on balls and a single put runners at second and first after two were out, but Strang smothered McGuire's grounder and forced Elberfeld at third. In the next inning there were Tigers at third and second with two out, and Daly coppered the third man. The fourth was threatening with a base on balls to Elberfeld and a safe bunt by Gleason to start with. It looked worse when Dillon sacrificed them ahead a notch. McGuire aimed at Isbell's flank, but did not put speed enough on the drive, and Isbell blocked it, held the runner at third, and retired the batter. Siever was an easy third out. For the next three innings not a visitor could accomplish anything at all. Then they solved the problem.

Tigers Corral Winning Runs.

Barrett was first up in the eighth, and he tried to drive a liner between Strang and the bag, but Sammy stretched himself and arrested the hit in midair. Holmes followed with a straight drive over the heads of both Jones and Mertes, who extended themselves and stopped the runner at second. Casey bumped a curve to Jones, who shot it to the plate, but not in time to cut off Holmes and the first run. Harley pulled a fast one just inside of first, and Elberfeld cricketed another hot one close to third base, giving the Tigers three runs and the game.

They needed no more, but made it safe with a pair of tallies in the ninth. These were the result of a base on balls, a single, and Holmes' three-baser, which sailed many feet over Green's head to the corner of the field. Score:

Chicago.	R	B	P	A	E
Strang, 3b.	0	0	3	1	0
Jones, cf.	0	0	3	0	0
Mertes, lf.	0	0	2	0	0
Davis, ss.	0	0	2	3	0
Mertes, rf.	0	0	3	0	0
Sullivan, c.	0	0	3	2	0
Patterson, p.	0	0	0	2	0
*Callahan	0	1	0	0	0
Totals.	0	2	27	10	0

Detroit.	R	B	P	A	E
Barrett, cf.	1	1	4	0	0
Holmes, rf.	1	2	1	0	0
Casey, 3b.	1	2	0	2	0
Harley, lf.	1	1	4	0	0
Elberfd, ss.	1	1	1	4	0
Gleason, 2b.	0	1	2	3	0
Dillon, 1b.	0	1	14	0	0
McGuire, c.	0	2	3	0	0
Siever, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals.	5	9	27	12	0

*Batted for Patterson in ninth.

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	—5

Two-base hits—Holmes, Harley, Elberfeld, Casey. Three-base hit—Holmes. Sacrifice hits—Dillon, Siever. Stolen base—Green. Struck out—By Patterson, Barrett, Holmes; by Siever, Strang. Bases on balls—Off Patterson, 4; off Siever, 1. Double play—Holmes-Dillon. Left on bases—Chicago, 2; Detroit, 6. Time—1:40. Umpires—Connolly and Johnston.

Notes of the White Sox.

Green's head evidently thinks his feet are faster than they really are.

Detroit again today and once more tomorrow. Then Cleveland for four days.

The losing team always looks slow, but the Tigers looked no faster than the champions in the field.

Siever defeated the champions. The other eight Tigers were mere accessories before and after the fact.

Tom Daly saved Dillon's bunt from becoming safe in the fourth inning by covering first while Isbell fielded the ball. Patterson would hardly have arrived in time.

President Comiskey forgot to send the weather man a season pass this spring. He will remedy the oversight immediately, so the fans can hang up their overcoats soon.

Strang christened a pair of new shoes, but they did not prove fourth inning by covering first while Isbell fielded the ball. Patterson would hardly have arrived in time.

Jones and Daly have received telegraphic orders from Manager Hanlon to report to the Brooklyn team at once or take the consequences. They nailed the messages to the wall in the clubhouse to remind them of "slavery days."

After American Association Men.

Toledo, O., April 24.—[Special.]—T. G. O'Brien, an agent of the Eastern league, was in the city yesterday attempting to induce a number of players of the American association to sign with the Buffalo team, but was not successful in his mission. He approached Shortstop Shay of the St. Paul team, but was turned down after offering $800 advance money, and a two-year contract at $400 per month. He tried Second Baseman Hugins of the St. Paul team, but was also repulsed, after making an equally flattering offer. His third trial was Second Baseman Burns of the Toledo team, but his efforts again met with defeat.

Cross Country Paper Chase.

The Ellerslie Cross Country club announces for Sunday a mounted paper chase and cross country run. It will be the club's first this year. As the start will be at 10 a. m., punctually, visitors and members are requested to send their horses out to the club stables on Saturday.

KEENE CASTOFF SHOWS HIS SPEED

Scorpio, a $100 Horse, Takes Measure of Money Muss in Sprint Race.

PENNANT WINS AGAIN.

Dr. Stephens Takes Handicap Event After a Rousing Finish with Dewey.

FINE RIDE BY APPRENTICE.

Scorpio, the J. R. & F. P. Keene cast-off that Harry Stover picked up on the Canadian circuit last summer for a $100 bill, yesterday gave Lakeside turf followers a taste of his quality as a sprinter by hooking up with "Fred Wood's blonde," as the rail birds generally style Money Muss, and beating him handily at his own game.

The big, high quality son of Chorister—one of the two colts that carried the Keene white and blue spots in the $50,000 World's Fair Derby at Washington Park—met Money Muss in the third race, at five furlongs, and, after making all the running, "came home on the chin strap" in 1:00 3-5, which is half a second faster than the flying Zibla reeled it off under a light impost on the first day of the meeting.

That Scorpio is a "bear catcher" there is no longer doubt, and a meeting between him and Burnie Bunton on even terms should furnish an exciting race.

Pennant Floats in Front.

Pennant, Louis Ezell's smart 2-year-old, by Top Gallant, emphasized his superiority over the average youngsters at the Indiana track by giving away weight and winning a five-furlong race as he pleased. It was his third win in seven days, and each has been a romp for him. F. G. Good, who, on Monday, won over the same route like a useful colt, faded away miserably in this race and finished outside the money.

Otis was scratched from the $600 handicap, the chief event on the card, and each of the five contestants looked to have a good chance and was well backed. Unfortunately, the "prince of starters" sent his field away in his poorest effort of the meeting, and it looked as if Dr. Stephens was the only horse that was "straight" when the flag fell. Digby Bell was all but left, and lost the race right there. Otherwise the crowd probably would have seen a fierce three-horse finish.

Dewey Gives Battle at End.

Dr. Stephens cut out the running, closely attended by B. G. Fox for half a mile or more. Then Dewey and Possart moved up. Before reaching the stretch the last named looked for a few seconds as if merely biding his time, but when they straightened out for home and Nutt let him down he had little left to go on with. It was a little apprentice boy named Golden who made trouble for the bay horse that had been flattering his backers all this time. After the lightly weighted Dewey, one of Schreiber's American Derby starters, apparently had shot his bolt, this tyro sat down and rode him through the stretch like a jockey. Stride by stride he wore down Dr. Stephens, and seventy yards from the winning post it looked bad for the latter; but Dominick had just a little saved in his horse for a final effort, and Dr. Stephens more than held his own in the closing strides.

Lakeside Summaries April 24.

Weather clear. Track fast.

First race, 1 mile, purse $400, 3-year-olds, selling.

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
13-5	Haydon, 108 [Nutt].	2	2½	2½	1½	1½	1½
5-1	Rabbit, 107 [W. Waldo].	8	4	3½	2½	2½	2½
15-1	The Rabbit, 101 [Munro].	3	5	5	3½	3½	3h

Time, 1:43 2-5. Dodie S., 101 pounds [Davisson]; Mathasa, [Wright]; Lewnyd, 101 [Otis]; Yampa, 106 [C. Price]; Rosie Mac, 107 [Dominick]; Meran, 106 [Singleton], finished as named. Winner, Mrs. Harvison's ch. c., by Mc. Commence—Lady Haydon. Start good. Won easily. Haydon simply played with his field and won as he pleased. Lucy Locket finished strongly. Rosie Mac ran away a half mile before the start, which ruined her chances.

Second race, ⅝ mile, purse $400, 2-year-olds, selling.

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
1-2	Bonnie Lad, 108 [Dominick].	2	2	1½	1h	1h
7-1	Goudy, 104 [Singleton].	1	1h	2h	2h	2hd
30-1	Overiace, 101 [Otis].	6	6½	4½	3h	3h

Time, 1:02 3-5. Dr. Moody, 101 pounds [Ferrell]; F. G. Good, 108 [Blake]; Lady Idris, 98 pounds [Davisson]; Susie K., 101 [Nutt], finished as named. Winner, L. E. Ezell's b. g., by Top Gallant—Tid Bit. Good start. Won easily. Pennant, after running Goudy into submission in the first half, came home in front without urging. Overiace under punishment finished strongly.

Third race, ⅝ mile, purse $400, selling.

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
1-2	Scorpio, 107 [Nutt].	2	1½	1½	1½	1½
2-1	Money Muss, 113 [Dominick].	1	2h	2h	2h	2h
5-1	Zirl, 91 [W. Jackson].	4	4h	3h	4h	3h

Time, 1:00 2-5. Lady Idris, 98 pounds [Davisson]; Nat Eggleston, 90 [C. Smith]; Don't You Dare, 88 [W. Waldo]; Ran After, 90 [Ferrell]; Little Jack Horner, 103 [Otis]; Albert Enright, 100 [Seaton], finished as named. Winner, W. H. Ketcham's b. g., by Chorister—Zodiac. Start good. Won easily. Scorpio easily outran Money Muss at all the way. Zirl, under a hard drive, finished fast on his own courage.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 50 yards, purse $600, handicap.

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fn.
1-2	Dr. Stephens, 113 [Dominick].	2	1½	1½	1½	1½
5-1	Dewey, 90 [Golden].	1	2½	2½	2½	2½
7-5	Possart, 100 [Nutt].	3	3½	3½	3½	3½

Time, 1:45 3-5. Digby Bell, 94 pounds [W. Waldo]; B. G. Fox, 105 [Otis], finished as named. Winner, C. E. Waters' b. c., by Octopus—Ignorama. Bad start. Digby Bell getting much the worst of it. Won in a hard drive. Dewey finished strongly and would have won in a stride or two.

Fifth race, 4½ furlongs, purse $500, 2-year-olds, fillies:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	⅜	½	Str.	Fn.
4-1	Our Bessie, 109 [Blake].	6	5h	3h	2h	1½
2-1	Belle Graham, 107 [Dominick].	2	1½	2h	2h	2h
6-1	Lady Gallantry, 109 [Nutt].	1	2h	3½	5h	3½

Time, 0:56 3-5. Agnes Mack, 109 pounds [Otis]; Geheimniss, 109 [Singleton]; Frances Porter, 109 [Anstet]; Aurie B., 103 [Seaton]; Our Cora, 103 [Munro], finished as named. Winner, J. F. Newman's b. f., by Lord Dalmeny—Bessie Bisland. Start good. Won driving. Our Bessie, badly outrun for the first half, finished fast next the rail under a vigorous drive, and just got up in time.

Sixth race, 1 mile, purse $400, 3-year-olds, selling:

Bet.	Horse, weight, jockey.	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fn.
3-1	T. Foster, 111 [L. A. Jac'n].	3	3h	3h	1h	1h
13-5	Siphon, 107 [Dominick].	4	4h	1h	1½	2d
1-2	Agnoppo, 102 [Otis].	2	2h	2½	3h	3½

Time, 1:48 3-5. Illowaho, 110 pounds [Nutt]; Marcos, 120 [Vigne]; Moderator, 110 [Blake], finished as named. Winner, A. P. Doyle's ch. c., by Fonso—Recess. Start good. Won handily. Tommy Foster, under a bungling ride, proved best. Jackson got him almost hopelessly cut off in the last eighth and had to pull clear to the outside, the colt finishing strongly on his own courage.

Lakeside Entries.

Probabilities: Weather clear; track fast.

First race, 4½ furlongs, 2-year-olds, maidens:

	Dr. Wood, ch. c., by Onondaga—Magnificent II.	110	
356	Belze	110	
283	Brookston	110	
381	Laura F. M.	107	
361	Mirance	107	
282	Mint Shandon	107	
	Goodman	107	
	Chemist, ch. c., by Faustus—Belle Broeck.	107	
377	Pure Dale	107	
352	King Hammon	105	
377	Philo	102	

Second race, 5½ furlongs, 4-year-olds and upward:

	Native	114	
	F. Garner	114	
	Peace	112	
	Irma S.	112	
212	Bob Alone	111	
	Ericsell	111	
382	Ida V.	106	
	Hot Shot, 3-year-olds:	96	
379	Lucy Locket	103	
	Pyrrho	108	
259	Balm of Gilead	103	
353	Father Wentzer	103	
428	Lady Idris	109	
256	Natural Gas	109	
306	Pompino	109	
	Lizzie Carr	106	
	Siren Song	107	
280	Fidel Youlin	107	
202	Small Jack	106	

Fourth race, 1 mile, 3-year-olds:

[401]	Woodwink	103	
328	The Mormon	95	
401	Irma's Choice	93	

Fourth race, 1 mile, 3-year-olds and upward:

256	Dousterswivel	103	
	Old Fox	100	
378	John A. Clarke	90	
401	Otis	96	
379	Dandola	90	
401	Herse	85	
428	Rosie Mac	85	

Fifth race, 1 mile, 4-year-olds and upward:

297	Beauty Book	106	
[383]	John McGurk	104	
382	Vincennes	104	
	Guy H.	103	
378	A Automatic	101	
405	Water Alone	102	
	Lowell	100	
328	Merida	98	
406	Ditty	98	
256	Ella R.	98	

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles, 3-year-olds and upward:

354	Little Tim	105

KANSAS HAS MORE RAIN

ON BETTER WEATHER CONDITIONS WHEAT BREAKS SHARPLY.

Beginning of Showers Southwest Works Radical Change in Market Sentiment, Local and Southwest Holders Selling Freely—Gates Party Sells Corn Through Other Houses While Seeming to Support Market—Oats Weak—Provisions Show Gains.

There were a few scattered rains in Kansas yesterday, and the Southwest speculators stopped sending crop damage reports to this market and sent selling orders instead. A good many of the local bulls suffered a quick change of heart with the changed conditions, which were emphasized by predictions of possible local showers today in Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Iowa, Minnesota, and South Dakota. The selling was so heavy that the market yielded in spite of occasional good support, and instead of the further advance which ninety-nine traders out of a hundred had gone home predicting the night before there was finally a loss of 1⅝c. July sold from 78c to 76⅞-¾c, closing at 76½-⅝c. From the first break to 76⅝c there was a rally of ¾c, but it brought out fresh selling orders and a more radical break.

July Wheat Range.

The weather map was a dry one, only a trace of rain anywhere in the winter wheat belt, and this, with liberal country buying orders at the opening, made the break a gradual one, with best prices only ¼c under the previous close. But the map showed partly cloudy conditions, and there were reports of showers from Topeka, Newton, and other points in Kansas. The Price Current threw cold water on the overstrained bull enthusiasm by its conservative summary: "Week unfavorable. Moderate decline in prospects. Condition fair." The best rally was on reports that the Kansas showers were over and the weather clearing, but there were later reports of good rains in half a dozen counties there and of rains at St. Joseph, Mo. The Kansas City and St. Louis markets were weak, off 2¼c and 1¾c respectively, an influence as effective as the reported rains.

Damage Claims Contradicted.

An indirect evidence that the Kansas crop damage claims might have been exaggerated was a St. Louis message to Slaughter saying: "Plymouth Cordage people say the talk of damage to wheat in Kansas is all nonsense except in a small terrftory in the northwest section of the State. They have not had a single order for twine canceled or reduced." Winnipeg advices were that seeding was general, but late, and the area would be decreased from that of last year. There was heavy profit-taking early by the Northwest and Southwest through Bartlett-Frazier, McReynolds, Weare, Ware-Leland, Milmine-Bodman, Gifford, and Lindman. Cudahy brokers, Patten, Champlin, Rankin, the Trego party, and other local longs were quick in following suit. There was heavy Wall street selling through Harris-Gates. There was at times good buying by Logan, Barrell, McReynolds, and on the extreme dip by Gifford and other houses for St. Louis, by Harris-Gates, and Pringle. There was considerable country buying early, but it was swamped by the offerings. Pit scalpers pounded the market on the decline. There was no increase in the movement, 169 cars at Minneapolis and Duluth, compared with 2 last year, and a trade authority estimated only 15 per cent of the crop back in farmers' hands. Primary points had 259,857 bu, compared with 394,237 bu a year ago. Clearances were heavy, 728,182 bu, and a temporary help. The seaboard reported few export orders, but on the break 172,000 bu were worked. Local sales were 10,000 bu No. 2 red at the top premium of 9c over May and 50,000 bu No. 2 northern Manitoba at Duluth. Liverpool did not respond generously to the advance here, futures there up ⅛@1d and spot 1d higher.

Gates Crowd Sells Corn.

Corn was weak on heavy selling under cover by the Gates interest, but did not lose so large a share of the previous day's advance as wheat, closing prices being ⅞c to 1⅝c lower, the largest loss on July, which sold from 66c to 64¾c, closing at 64½c. The Gates selling was through Brosseau and Hulburd-Warren, and was accompanied by open buying by Harris-Gates brokers, which mystified the corn talent and checked the decline, though much more was sold than bought. There was St. Louis and local selling, with general commission buying. The chief bearish influence was the wheat break on Western rains, but freer country selling and reports of increased acreage were effective. A local industry bought 70,000 bu on its bids to the country. Shipping sales here were 90,000 bu. Primary receipts were 240,400 bu, compared with 235,110 bu last year. Southwest markets were weak. The inspection was 88 cars, with 100 estimated for today. Clearances were 46,336 bu. Liverpool futures were 3d to 1d higher; spot up 1d.

Oats weakened with other grains on the rain and on heavy selling of old and new July by the provision and cereal interests which covered the day before. May was for sale by Patten, and broke 1⅝c to 43¾c. July deliveries lost 1c and September ⅝c. The Price Current admission of a "rather poor start" for oats and private damage claims held the market steady for a time, but it yielded finally with the rest. Country sales of cash oats were larger on the advance and the shipping demand less brisk, 50,000 bu reported taken. There was a fair general commission demand for new September. The local inspection was 167 cars and 165 are estimated for today. Clearances were 165 cars.

More Activity in Hog Product.

There was a somewhat excited opening in provisions, owing to an advance of 10c to 20c on live hogs at the Yards, while receipts were 16,000. Estimated for today is 14,000. The Western packing points reported 43,000, against 55,000 the previous week, and 68,300 a year ago. Liverpool was 6d higher on lard, but unchanged on other products. Opening prices on pork were unchanged to 15c higher for July, $17.15 being top for the day. There was some brisk commission house buying early led by Harris, Logan, and houses of like character. Offerings became quite free after top prices were reached and the price ran down to $17.02½, which was the closing figures, 2½c over the day before. Lard was relatively stronger than pork, making a net advance of 7½c, sales ranging from $9.87½ to $10.05 for July, the close being $10.02½. Some free selling of lard is done by Schwarz, Taylor, and Steever. Ribs showed considerable strength, but not much feature, July advancing 5c over the previous close. Western packing is reported at 350,000 head, against 440,000 a year ago. Some strength was contributed to the market by estimated decreases in provision stocks on the first of the month. Shipments of product were fairly liberal, 1,765,000 lbs cured meats, against 2,011,000 lbs a year ago, and of lard 573,000 lbs, against 1,078,000 lbs the previous year.

Rye was a heavy market, declining in sympathy with other grains and also on a lack of buying orders. May opened at 56½c, sold at 56⅝c and back to 56c, which was the closing figure. July ranged 1c over May, closing at 57c bid, and 57¼c asked. There were no receipts, although 2 cars and 400 bu were withdrawn from store.

Barley was decidedly strong with offerings light and demand of an excellent character. Samples are so sparingly shown that buying is necessarily of a hand-to-mouth character. Malsters express some fears that they may be compelled to shut down for lack of supplies. Screenings sold from 55c to 43c and malting grades from 67c to 69c.

The feature in timothy was a sharp advance in the September delivery, which sold at $5.50, against a previous quotation of $5.05. More buyers were in the market and not much stuff offered for sale. Cash seed was strong, sales ranging from $5.75 to $6.60. Contract spot was quotably $6.90 to $7.00. Clover was a shade firmer, contract spot being quoted $8.35 and October $8.90, nominally 10c higher. The cash range was from $6.00 to $8.25.

No trading whatever was done in flax seed, both buyers and sellers being entirely out of the market. Quotations were therefore identical with those of the previous day, but entirely nominal. No. 1 Northwestern $1.79, Southwestern $1.68, May $1.69, September $1.58 October $1.54. There were 2 cars received locally with no shipment. Duluth had 5 cars and Minneapolis none.

Range of Prices.

Grain and provision futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT.

	April 23.	High.	Low.	Closed yesterday.	Closed Apr. 25, 1901
April ..	76⅝	....	....	75¼	72½
May ...	76¼	76⅞	75-¼	75¼-⅝	72⅝
July ...	78¼-¼	78	76¼-¼	76½-⅝	73
Sept ...	78¼	78	76⅝	76⅝	72⅝
Dec	79½	79⅝	77⅞	77⅞	....

CORN.

April ...	64⅜	....	....	63¼	47⅜
May ...	64⅜	64⅛	63¼	63¼	48
July ...	65½	66	64⅜	64¼	45¼
Sept ...	64¼	65	63⅜	63¼	45
Dec	49⅜	50	49¼	49⅜	....

OATS.

April ...	44⅜	....	....	43	26⅜
May ...	44⅝	44½	43	43¼	26⅜
*July ..	37½-⅝	37⅝	36½	36⅜	25½
†July ..	39⅜	39⅜	38¼	38⅜	....
*Sept ..	32⅜	32⅝-¾	32¼	32⅛	24½
†Sept ..	34⅞	35	34¼	34¼	....
*Dec ...	....	33¼	32⅜	32⅜	....
†Dec ...	35¼	34⅞	34⅛	34⅛	....

MESS PORK.

April ...16.75	....	....	....	16.80	14.45
May ...16.75	16.97½	16.75	16.80	16.80	14.45
July ...17.00	17.17	17.00	17.02½	17.02½	14.57½
Sept ...16.90	17.15	17.07½	17.10	....	.....

LARD.

April ... 9.85	....	....	....	9.90	8.20
May ... 9.85	9.90	9.85	9.90	9.90	8.20
July ... 9.95	10.05	9.97½	10.02½	10.02½	8.07½
Sept ...10.05	10.15	10.10	10.10	....	8.07½

SHORT RIBS.

April ... 9.20	....	....	....	9.25	8.25
May ... 9.20	9.25	9.25	9.25	9.25	8.25
July ... 9.37½	9.45	9.40	9.42½	9.42½	8.00
Sept ... 9.45	9.52½	9.47½	9.50	....	7.95

*Old. †New.

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	No. 2 and better.	No. 3.	Low grade.	Total.
Winter wheat.....	6	2	..	8
Spring wheat.....	5	11	5	21
Corn	1	75	12	88
Oats	38	103	26	167
Barley	..	10	7	17
Totals.....	50	201	50	301

Inspected out: 4,100 bu spring wheat, 9,450 bu corn, 400 bu rye, 11,800 bu barley. From unlicensed elevators: 10 cars winter wheat, 57 cars and 72,000 bu spring wheat, 28 cars and 16,000 bu corn, 3 cars oats, and 2 cars rye.

Cash Produce Transactions.

FLOUR—In fair demand and firm. Winter patents, Southern, $3.75@3.80; straight, $3.50@3.60; spring, special brands, $3.90@4.00; hard patents, $3.40@3.50; soft, $3.10@3.60; white rye, brls, $2.75@2.85.

WINTER WHEAT—Quiet and easy. Sales free on board: No. 3 red, 82@83¾c; No. 2 hard, 79¼c; not graded, to arrive, 82c.

SPRING WHEAT—Quiet and 1½c lower. Sales free on board: No. 4, 72¾@73¾c; No. 3, 76¾c; No. 2 Northern, 76¼@76¾c.

CORN—Steady. Sales in store and to go: No. 3, 63c; 40,000 bu for shipment on p. t., Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 60@62c; No. 4, 62½@63c; No. 3., 62¾@64c; No. 3 yellow, 63¼@64c; No. 2 yellow, 63¾c; No. 3 white, 65@65¼c. Billed through: No. 4, 61¼@61¾c; No. 3, 62½c; No. 3 yellow, 61¼@63c; No. 2 yellow, 63c; No. 3 white, 64½@65c.

OATS—About steady. Sales in store and to go: White clipped, 50,000 bu on p. t. Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 43c for white; No. 4 white, 44@45½c; No. 3 white, 44¾@46¼c; No. 2, 44@44¾c; No. 2 white, 45¾@46¼c. Billed through: No. 4 white, 42@45½c; No. 3, 43¾c; No. 3 white, 45½@45¾c; No. 2, 43½c; No. 2 white, 45¾c. At the river: No. 4 white, 43½@44c; No. 3 white, 44½@45c; No. 2 white, 45@45½c.

RYE—Slow. Sales free on board: No. 2, 59@60¾c, the outside for choice milling.

PROVISIONS—Steady. Cash lots mess pork, $16.80@16.85; lard, $9.87½@9.90; short ribs, $9.20@9.30, according to weight.

Trade Gossip on 'Change.

Estimated arrivals for today are: Wheat, 35 cars; corn, 100 cars; oats, 165 cars; hogs, 14,000.

"People are inclined to forget," said R. D. Richardson, "that with an increased area in oats of at least 25 per cent in Kansas and a largely increased area in corn, a wheat crop of 65,000,000 bu this year will mean as much practically as 100,000,000 bu meant last year. There is no reason to expect that the State will not raise fair crops of oats and corn, it would be unusual to have two droughts in succession, and there would be no necessity of feeding wheat or of bringing in corn from outside the State."

Traders who were trying to follow the leaders in corn yesterday had their own troubles. The big interests operating through Harris-Gates apparently set out to mystify the trade, bidding for corn and taking it openly, but selling on a larger scale, at the same time and at the same price, under cover, through other houses. The selling was done through Brosseau and Hulburd-Warren, and while there was no general suspicion whose name would finally be given up on the trades, it was noticeable Harris-Gates brokers made no effort to buy from the two houses named. The pit thought the selling under cover amounted to at least 2,000,000 bu, the buying certainly not more than 1,000,000 bu, a reduction of 1,000,000 bu from a line which at the close on Wednesday it was popular to estimate as high as 10,000,000 bu. It was almost as popular yesterday to figure the Gates crowd well out of its corn. If, as is more likely, they still have a considerable line, they have less local company on the long side, a number of local lines going over on the break of 1½c. The bull clique had once more made it extremely uncomfortable for its tallers.

"I believe wheat is worth current prices," said George S. McReynolds, "whether it rains in the Southwest or not, because of the small stocks, extremely light movement, and high premiums for winter wheat, which constitutes two-thirds of the crop. But there will undoubtedly be more of a break if there are more rains."

"Lack of rain throughout a greater part of both winter and spring wheat belts," says the Northwestern Miller, "is causing much apprehension concerning crops. In the Northwest seeding is progressing favorably, but rain is needed to sprout the berry. In Kansas and in the Ohio Valley considerable damage from drought is a possibility unless rain brings speedy relief. In the Southwest conditions are fair, but the need of rain is also felt."

IN THE NEW YORK MARKET.

Current and Closing Quotations on Dry Goods, Coffee, Poultry, Butter, and Metals.

NEW YORK, April 24.—[Special.]—The dry goods market remained without perceptible change or improvement in any department. For forward delivery a moderate business is in evidence, but spot business is quiet.

Range of Coffee Prices.

Coffee—Total sales amounted to 46,750 bags. Included in the day's foreign news were reported receipts of 33,000 bags at Brazilian ports and of 24,200 bags at interior towns, an advance of 75 reis at Rio and a loss of a partial ¼ pfg at Hamburg. Other foreign coffee markets were unchanged. The local spot market had a quiet and steady undertone, with quotations based on 5½c for invoice lots of No. 7 Rio.

The range of contract prices in the local market today was as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
April	....	....	....	4.90@4.95	4.90
May	4.90	5.00	4.90	4.90@4.95	4.90
June	....	....	....	5.00@5.05	5.00
July	5.20	5.20	5.15	5.10@5.15	5.10
August	....	....	....	5.20@5.25	5.20
September	5.35	5.40	5.35	5.30@5.35	5.30
October ...	5.40	5.45	5.40	5.35@5.40	5.35
November ..	....	....	....	5.40@5.45	5.40
December ..	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50@5.55	5.50
January	....	....	....	5.60@5.65	5.60
February ...	....	....	....	5.65@5.70	5.65
March	5.80	5.80	5.80	5.75@5.80	5.70

Poultry, Alive and Dressed.

Poultry—Alive—Fowls, per lb, 12c; roosters, old, 8c; turkeys, 13c; ducks, Western, per pair, 70@80c; geese, Western, $1.00@1.25. Dressed—Fowls, Western, 12c; do, Southwestern, 11½@12c; do, Western, poor to fair, 9@11c; old cocks, 8@8½c. Frozen—Turkeys, young hens, No. 1, 18; young toms, No. 1, 18c.

Butter of All Grades.

Butter—Creamery, extras, per lb, 26c; do firsts, 25@25½c; do seconds, 24@24½c; State dairy, tubs, fancy, 25c; do firsts, 24@24½c; do seconds, 22½@23c; State dairy, tins, etc., 22½@25c; Western imitation creamery, fancy, 24c; do firsts, 23@23½c; do Western factory, choice, 23@23½c; do common to good, 21@22½c; renovated fancy, 24c; packing stock, 20@22c.

In the Metal Markets.

Prices for tin were raised today. The foreign market closed £1 2s 6d higher. The local price for spot was raised 50 points, to 27¾@28¼c. Copper was easier, with lake quoted at 11⅝@12¼c; electrolytic, 11⅛@12c; and casting, 11⅛@12c. Standard copper was quoted with spot at $11.00@11.35 and June-July at $11.10@11.35. Lead was steady and unchanged. Spelter easy, unchanged, and quiet. Iron prices were unchanged, with the market firm.

DAY IN THE CUSTOM-HOUSE.

Federal Agents in Chicago Collect $45,631 on Imposts and Warehouse Withdrawals.

Collections at the Custom-House yesterday amounted to $45,631.52, imposts paying $36,162.02 and warehouse withdrawals $9,469.50.

Goods in bond arrived as follows: One cattles, 659 cases tea, 262 cases porcelain, 450 bags sugar, 106 cases preserves, 400 sacks salt, 127 cases dry goods, 600 pockets rice, 500 cases champagne, 675 barrels stout and ale, 654 bales tobacco, 2 cases chromos, 1 case liquor, 14 cases laces, 1 case skins, 1 case gloves, 1 case artificial flowers, 2 cases leather, 2 cases casings, 2 cases music ware, 1 case linens, 3 cases cottons, 1 case needles, 1 case vaccine virus, 1 case photographs, 1 case hardware, 2 cases furniture, 16 cases curios, 135 bales matting, 187 cases herring.

The following merchandise was entered for immediate consumption: Thirteen cases personal effects, 50 cases wine, 1 case metalware, 1 case blueberries, 288 cases curios, 106 cases dry goods, 1 case violin bows, 1 case accordeons, 1 case gloves, 1 case plants, 15 bales cotton waste, 77 cases still wine, 8 cases glassware, 2 cases artists' material, 3 cases woodenware, 2 cases ivory, 3 cases books, 2 cases braids, 1 case thread, 1 case cottons, 12 bales corks, 1 case metalware, 3 cases toys, 3 cases laces, 1 case artificial flowers, 1,300 sacks salt, 1 case marble statuary, 8 cases machinery, 1 case cigars, 1 case furs, 1 case hosiery, 14 cases sherry, 135 casks stout, 20 casks ale, 65 casks ginger ale, 25 casks club soda, 500 cases champagne, 3 cases musical instruments, 1 case shirts, 1 case harmonicas, 6 cases earthenware, 5 cases sheep casings, 2 cases lithographs, 2 cases chip braid, 4 cases millinery.

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As to the probable income which may supply dividends on the stock, we quote from the speech of Mr. Marconi at the meeting of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co., Ltd., held in London on February 20th last.

He said: "Returning to the question of commercial working, I may mention that it is no uncommon thing for the messages passing to and from a liner, either outward or homeward bound, to realize, apart from service messages, a sum of from £30 to £40. Upon a recent arrival of one of the American liners in home waters no less than 8,050 words were transmitted and received within the space of sixteen hours. I would point out that if in each complete day of twenty-four hours only that same number of words should be transmitted between two of our transatlantic stations—and the supposition is, surely, not an extravagant one—that, at 6d. a word, would represent an annual income of over £73,000 from each pair of such stations, of which, in the first instance, we are proceeding to install two pairs."

From the directors' report submitted at that same time we quote as follows:—

"A formal agreement has also been concluded with Lloyds, whereby that Corporation has adopted Marconi's system exclusively in connection with their signal stations; the necessary instruments are now being installed at ten of their stations, and these will also be worked for the passenger and commercial traffic of the Marconi International Marine Communication Company.

"The Chief Steamship Companies are also giving orders for installations on their vessels; the Cunard Line, Norddeutscher-Lloyd, Compagnie Transatlantique, Beaver Line, Belgian Mail Packets, etc., etc., are regularly and successfully employing the Marconi system to the great satisfaction of the passengers and of the officers of these vessels. This example will doubtless soon be followed by other Steamship Companies.

"By the organization of an extensive system of shore stations, and by means of the agreement with Lloyds, the Marconi system has secured a practical monopoly of mercantile marine signaling and sea telegraphy, and the instruments have therefore become the standard instruments for the ships of all nations. It may be noted that ships fitted with the Marconi instruments will alone, to the exclusion of all others, have the right and power of using for wireless telegraphy Lloyds and the International Shore Stations established and being established throughout our organization. The instruments specially designed for sea purposes are used in every day commercial work over a range of 100 miles or more, and great improvements have been effected in other respects."

The Marconi system has been adopted by the British Admiralty and the ships of the navy are being steadily equipped, over 37 vessels having been already equipped. This is under a contract giving the English Company a substantial royalty, and for a period of 14 years.

The Marconi system has been adopted by the Italian navy, and negotiations are being carried on with various governments and work is progress for other engagements of an important and beneficial character.

It is intended that the station at Cape Cod, now almost completed for transatlantic work, shall be equipped in the most efficient and thorough manner, and immediately. Another station is to be erected at once at Montauk Point for marine service.

With such a revolution in world-around communication it would be inadvisable at the present time to make detailed statistical estimates of the commercial profits that are confidently expected, but of all wireless telegraph inventions the Marconi alone have shown commercial value, and this company is the sole owner of all rights to the Marconi system in the United States.

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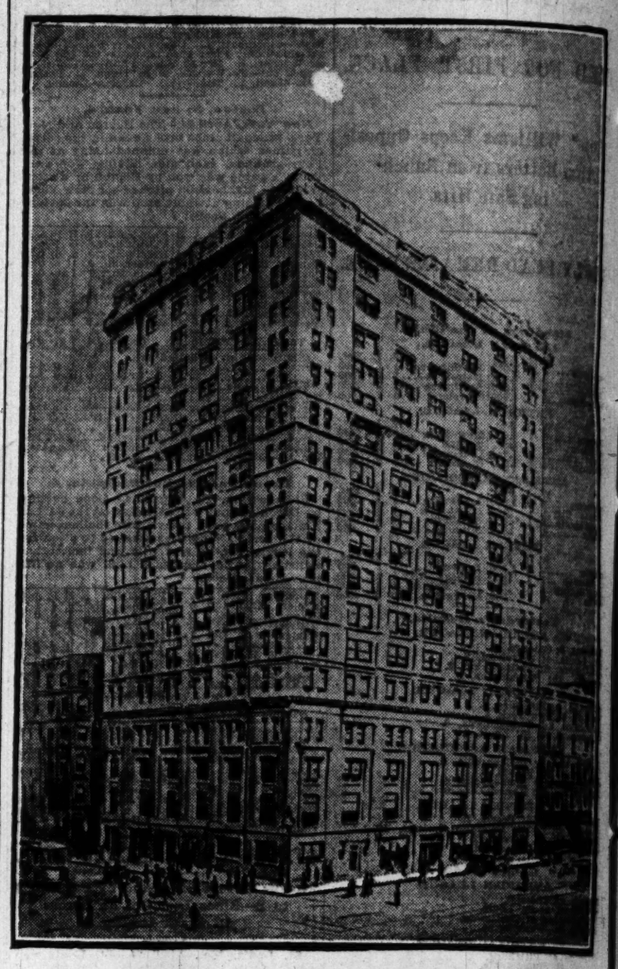

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Office of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company.

Chicago, Ill., April 18, 1902.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company, for the election of Directors pursuant to law and the transaction of such other business as may come before them, will be held at the office of the company, in the City of Chicago, on the fourth day of June next, at 11 o'clock a. m.

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A meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway company, duly called by the Board of Directors, will be held on the day and at the place of the annual meeting of the Stockholders—to wit: at the General Office of the Company in the City of Chicago, County of Cook and State of Illinois, on the fourth (4th) day of June, A. D. 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of considering and voting upon a proposition or resolution to increase the capital stock of said The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company to the amount of Seventy-five Million Dollars, and, for that purpose, to amend Paragraph 1 of Article V. of the Articles of Consolidation of said Company so that the same shall read as follows—to wit: "The capital stock of The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company, the consolidated corporation hereby created, shall be limited to the sum of Seventy-five Million Dollars, until the amount thereof is increased by an amendment of these articles of consolidation adopted in the manner provided in the thirteenth article hereof.

"The said capital stock shall be divided into shares, each of which shall have a par value of one hundred dollars, and shall be issued and disposed of for corporate purposes at such times and on such terms and conditions as the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee may determine."

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Surmises as to Whether It Is a Speculative Deal or Something More—Net Earnings of Glucose Sugar Refining Company for Eight Months Equal to 5.62 Per Cent on Corn Products—Preferred Stock Outstanding — Other Financial News.

The Gates party is said to have been a large purchaser of Republic Iron and Steel stocks within the last few days. It is known that some purchases have been made on behalf of this interest, but whether the movement is more than a speculative one is open to surmise.

Republic stocks showed some strength yesterday, closing with gains of ⅝ and ¼ respectively. The same clique is reported to have bought considerable Tennessee Coal and Iron.

Recently the names of the Moores, as well as the Gates people, have been associated with acquisitions of Republic stock. It has been suggested that an effort might be on foot to gain the control of the company either for the purpose of consolidating with this other large companies now outside of the United States Steel corporation or of selling out to the trust. Every time there has been an advance in Republic stock it has given birth to a rumor that the company would be taken in by United States Steel.

The continued activity and firmness displayed by Colorado Fuel and Iron stock remains a puzzle to La Salle street, and people who were formerly identified with the property express themselves as unable to explain the source of the present movement. The old theory that Rockefeller interests are buying is advanced.

Glucose Earnings Are Large.

Formal application has been made by the Corn Products company to have its stock listed on the New York Stock Exchange. The statement shows that earnings of the Glucose Sugar Refining company, the principal constituent concern, for the eight months to March 31 amounted to $1,500,000, which is equal to 5.62 per cent on the entire preferred stock outstanding of the Corn Products company. March earnings in this total are estimated. This bears out the statement of inside interests in the company who claimed that the Glucose company alone would earn enough to pay the Corn Products preferred dividend.

The net earnings of the Glucose company for the four years from its organization on Aug. 7, 1897, to Aug. 1, 1901, were $8,704,000, an average of $2,176,000 a year. Dividend requirements on the Corn Products' preferred stock are $1,960,000 annually.

Of the authorized capital of $28,000,000 preferred and $48,000,000 common $26,676,250 preferred and $44,341,160 common have been issued. The company has agreed to furnish $98,125 of its preferred and $3,433,750 of the common in exchange for stocks of the Glucose company still outstanding, and $357,625 of its preferred and $225,090 of its common for National Starch outstanding stocks. The surplus of the National Starch company is stated at $2,182,497.

Financial Topics.

Small sales of Lake Shore and Michigan Southern and of Michigan Central were made on the New York exchange at record prices yesterday.

Directors of the American Radiator company will meet on May 6 to act on the preferred dividend.

A member of the faction which opposed the present management of the American Strawboard company at the last annual meeting said that as far as that faction was concerned there would be no opposition to a combination.

When the new plants of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company are opened this summer the capacity of the steel plant will be 550,000 tons and of the auxiliary plants 270,000 tons per annum.

Lake Street interests hope to gain for that road a share of the Burlington suburban business which will be diverted to the elevated systems by the action of the Burlington in discontinuing its suburban service outside of Riverside.

President James B. Forgan of the First National Bank left yesterday for Hot Springs, Va.

A director of the Chicago Title and Trust company says the plan to branch out into the banking business will not necessarily mean an increase in capitalization.

A Toronto dispatch says: "Berlin operators are said to be heavily short of Canadian Pacific through sales of large amounts of calls at much lower prices. Montreal and Toronto interests, which hold the calls, will, it is understood here, demand the delivery of stock on May 1."

A committee consisting of McIntyre & Marshall, Lathrop & Smith, and Floyd-Jones & Robison has been formed at the request of large stockholders of Columbus Hocking Coal and Iron company to seek a change in management. Proxies are solicited for the annual meeting to be held on May 21. For fifteen years the company is said to have mined an average of 600,000 tons of coal without profit.

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the American District Telegraph company R. C. Clowry, President of the Western Union Telegraph company, was elected President in place of Thomas T. Eckert, resigned, and E. Brooks, General Superintendent of the Western Union, was elected Vice President in place of C. A. Tinker, resigned. Mr. Clowry was first chosen a director to succeed Henry K. Sheldon, resigned.

Money Market.

The Bank of England's minimum rate of discount remains unchanged at 3 per cent.

Call money ruled in New York yesterday at 4 per cent and closed at 4@3½ per cent, with the last loan at 3½ per cent.

Money rates in Chicago are becoming easier. Bankers note an easier tone to the market, but quotable rates have not changed.

Pressed Steel Car.

The report of the Pressed Steel Car company to its stockholders for the quarter ended on March 31, 1902, shows: Gross earnings, $7,419,664; operating expenses and taxes, $6,394,546; net earnings, $1,026,118; less fixed charges, interest on bonds, and mortgage debt, $59,842; net income, $965,276; appropriation to cover dividends on preferred stock, $12,500,000 (7 per cent rate for three months), $218,750; balance to account for, $746,526; amount charged off for depreciations of plants and properties, $67,007; surplus for dividends on common stock and improvements, $679,519.

The company has on hand sufficient orders to work all its plants to their full capacity for a considerable length of time.

Dividends Declared.

The H. B. Claflin company has declared the regular quarterly interest of 1¼ per cent on its first preferred stock and 1½ per cent on the second preferred, payable on May 1.

The International Power company, in addition to the annual dividend of 6 per cent on the preferred stock, has announced a dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred, payable on May 20, out of the earnings for the quarter ended on April 1, 1902.

Rock Island.

A man in touch with the Rock Island railway system says: "Reports that Rock Island is doing a tremendous business are well substantiated by the facts. The volume of business this year is at least 15 per cent greater than last year.

"The moving of the crops has not created as large a demand for cars as the management of the road would like, but this loss is more than made up by the amount of business going from the East to Western destinations. The additions to the lines of the Rock Island road in Texas have, of course, added to the volume of business.

"Farmers have enjoyed such prosperity that they are now establishing themselves on broader lines and are laying in a large stock of machines for farm use. Other commodities are in demand in an almost equally increasing ratio over a year ago. Traffic is becoming seriously congested throughout the Western sections of the Rock Island system, and there is a constant necessity of supplying cars eastward to meet the demands of Western producers.

"The proof that conditions are generally sound in prosperity widespread comes from the fact that even the smaller towns, as well as the large cities, are receiving at least their share of the traffic."

United States Steel.

An officer of the American Steel and Wire company says: "The wire trade is now in the best possible position. The spring demand is extraordinarily heavy, and large foreign orders are being filled.

"The West is also purchasing heavily, and a large proportion of our output is being shipped west of the Mississippi River. The West is growing faster than many are able to comprehend, and to this fact is due the phenomenal prosperity of the manufacturing concerns of the East."

Railroad Earnings.

Railroad earnings are reported as follows:

CHICAGO AND EASTERN ILLINOIS.

	1902.	1901.	Increase.
March—Surplus after interest, rentals and taxes	$ 114,472	$ 102,660	$ 11,812
Surplus from July 1	1,152,357	840,166	312,191

PITTSBURG, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS.

March, gross	$1,870,175	$1,722,612	$147,563
Oper. expenses	1,377,325	1,255,953	121,372
Net	491,850	465,659	26,191
Surplus	210,916	197,000	13,916
From Jan. 1 to March 31:			
Gross	5,315,849	4,848,429	465,420
Oper. expenses	3,877,496	3,543,364	332,133
Net	1,438,353	1,304,884	133,419
Surplus	1,526,968	1,443,768	83,200

WHEELING AND LAKE ERIE.

March, gross	$ 273,526	$ 237,806	$ 35,720
Oper. expenses	207,311	166,672	40,639
Net	66,215	71,134	*4,919
From July 1, gross	2,553,463	2,237,880	315,573
Oper. expenses	1,869,066	1,519,808	349,258
Net	684,397	718,062	*33,688

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER AND PITTSBURG.

Third week April	$ 98,631	$ 114,194	*$15,563
From July 1	4,896,571	4,632,102	267,469

TOLEDO AND OHIO CENTRAL.

Third week April	$ 154,217	$ 123,913	$ 30,304
From July 1	2,389,579	2,086,093	303,486

*Decrease.

Foreign Exchange.

Foreign exchange was firm at the following rates in Chicago.

SELLING RATES.

Checks, Paris	515⅝
Cable transfers, London	488.40
Checks, London	488
Checks, Holland	40 3-16
Checks, Berlin	95 5-16

BUYING RATES.

60 days, London, banks	485¼
60 days, London, documentary	485⅛
3 days, Paris	519⅜
60 days, documentary	519⅜
8 days, Antwerp	517½
90 days, Antwerp	520
60 days, Germany, documentary	95 3-16—1-32
60 days, Germany, bankers	94⅝
90 days, Holland	94½
3 days, Holland	40⅛

Closing prices on curb stocks in New York were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
American Can	13	13½
Do pfd	66¼	66¾
American Hide and Leather	7⅞	8
Do pfd	41½	42½
Bay State Gas	1	1½
British Columbia Copper	9¼	9½
Compressed Air	9	11
Electric Boat	33½	33¾
Do pfd	47	50
Electro Pneumatic	1¼	1½
Electric Vehicle	4¼	4½
Do pfd	8½	9
General Carriage	6	6¼
Havana Commercial Co	8	11
Do pfd	45	50
Illinois Vehicle	¾	1¼
National City Bank	648	650
Nat. Enameling and Stamp Co	29½	30¼
Do pfd	83	86
N. Y. Elec. Vehicle Trans	12¾	13¼
Northern Securities Co	102	102¾
Otis Elevator	33	34
Do pfd	101¼	103
Pitts. Bessemer and L. E	35½	36½
Royal Baking Powder pfd	104⅝	105
Seaboard Air Line	27½	27¾
Do pfd	47⅜	47¾
Standard Oil	621	628
St. Louis Transit	30	31
United States Cast Iron Pipe	12	12¼
Do pfd	43	43½
United Rys. of St. Louis pfd	82	83
Do 4s	88¾	89¼
N. and W. Pocahontas new 4s	92½	93¼

Chicago Stock Exchange.

Quaker Oats common stock advanced to 40 on the Chicago Exchange yesterday on light purchases. It was reported that a dividend would be paid on this issue before long.

Sales on the Chicago Stock Exchange yesterday were as follows:

	Shares.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	2,030	13⅝	12⅝	13⅜
Do pfd	550	56	54½	55½
American Strawboard	220	30	29	29½
Chicago City Railway	1	220½	220½	220½
Chicago Edison	129	168	167	168
Chicago Title and Trust	131	147	145	146
Chicago Union Traction	1,035	22	21⅜	21⅜
Lake Street Elevated	60	13	12⅝	12⅝
Metropolitan Elevated	40	40	40	40
National Biscuit	685	50⅜	50⅛	50½
Do pfd	145	108⅜	108⅛	108¼
National Carbon	350	25	24⅝	25
Do pfd	212	89	88½	89
Northwestern Elevated	10	37¼	37¼	37¼
Quaker Oats	200	40	40	40
Do pfd	75	85	84	84
South Side Elevated	285	114	113⅝	113⅝
West Chicago	58	102	102	102

BONDS.

$9000 N West El 4s	98⅜	$1000 W C cons 5s	101
4000 Lake deb 5s	103⅜	5000 Met El 4s	101⅝

Clearings at the larger cities yesterday and a week ago were:

	April 24.	April 17.
New York	$324,409,404	$234,082,620
Chicago	27,982,841	26,540,812
Boston	23,389,446	25,334,951
Philadelphia	22,122,373	22,124,373
St. Louis	1,542,190	10,638,456
Baltimore	3,953,745	4,865,523

New York exchange sold yesterday as follows: Chicago, par; St. Louis, 25c premium.

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, Copper Stocks, and Other Securities at the Hub.

BOSTON, Mass., April 24.—[Special.]—The buying of New Haven was the feature of this market today, the stock advancing 8, to 237, on reiterated reports of buying by the Pennsylvania interests. The coppers were firm, though dull.

Call loans, 3½@4 per cent; time loans, collateral, 4@4½ per cent; time loans, mercantile paper, 4¼@4½ per cent; clearing-house loans, 3 per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	2,800	66⅛	67⅛	66⅛	67⅛
Adventure	50	23½	23½	23½	23½
Arcadian	590	7¾	8⅛	7¾	8⅛
Atlantic	50	30	30	30	30
Am. Tel	3,000	178⅛	183⅜	178½	183
Atchison	1,200	81	81⅝	81	81½
Do pfd	226	98	98½	98	98½
Am. Sugar	3,500	126	127½	122⅝	126⅝
Do pfd	118	119	119½	118¾	119¼
Agl. Chem	1,016	22½	23	22½	24½
Do pfd	925	83½	83⅞	83½	83⅞
Am. Woolen	100	13½	13½	13½	13½
Do pfd	452	73⅝	73⅝	73¼	73¾
Bingham	3,495	166	166	165	165
Chic. Junct	120	166	166	165	165
Copper Range	2,030	61	61	58¾	61
Calumet	8	565	565	565	565
Cons. Mercur	305	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
Centennial	300	20½	20½	20	20
Cumberland Tel	5	126	126	126	126
Cochita	325	30	30	25	25
Daly West	70	44	44	44	44
Dom. Coal	965	68	68	67½	67½
Dom. Coal	100	138⅛	138½	138⅛	138⅝
Do pfd	10	117	117	117	117
Edison	25	275	275	275	275
Franklin	4	12¼	12¼	12¼	12¼
Gen. Elec	250	329	329	327½	327½
Isle Royale	50	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Indo Egyptian	686	1	1⅛		
Mass. Mining	1,010	19	19	18⅝	18⅝
Mohawk	340	36¼	38	36¼	37¼
Michigan	230	11¼	11¼	11	11
Host. & Mont	1,500	3	3⅛	1 11-16	1 11-16
Mass. Elec	2,800	44¼	45	43¾	44⅝
Do pfd	197	97¼	97¾	97¼	97⅝
Mex. Tel	250	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Morgenthaler	10	180	180	180	180
Mag	100	3	3	3	3
N. E. Coke	8	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
N. Emp. Tel	9	149	149	149	149
National	600	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Osceola	50	63	63	63	63
Old Dom	275	19¼	19	19	19¼
Pneumatic	255	¾	¾	¾	¾
Do pfd	50	33¼	33¼	33¼	33¼
Pullman	23	237	237	237	237
Phoe	65	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Planters	485	4	4	4	4⅛
Rutland pfd	410	123⅜	124	120¾	120⅝
Santa Fe	970	8	8	8	8
Seattle Elec	61	80	80	80	80
Santa Ysabel	50	50	50	50	50
Trinity	455	13⅛	13⅞	13½	13⅜
Tamarack	10	175	175	175	175
Un. Shoe Mchry	347	53	53¼	52½	53
Do pfd	467	30	30¼	29⅞	30¼
Utah	230	23	23	22¾	22⅞
U. S. Oil	220	14⅞	14⅞	14¾	14⅜
U. S. Mining	1,800	21⅞	22	21⅜	21⅞
Un. Fruit	500	106½	106½	106	106
Un. Pac	1,350	105¼	104¾	104¼	104⅝
Victoria	412	5	5 11-16	5	5¼
Wolverine	37	54	54	53	53
Winona	1,070	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Westinghouse	5	113	113	113	113
Wyandot	100	1	1	1	1
Western Tel	522	30¼	32	30¼	32
Do pfd	740	103	104¼	103	103¾

BONDS.

$ 7000 AmTel 4s	99¼	$1000 K C Ft S & M 7s	114
4000 CB-Q 4s	100⅜	3000 Ill Steel 5s	101⅜
60000 do new 4s	94⅜	1913	103¾
12000 do reg	94⅜	2000 N E Cot Yarn 5s	103¼
6000 C Junct 5s	109½	5000 N Y N E 7s	108⅜
15000 Eastern 6s	109⅞		
1000 St Joe 7s	114⅜		

Colorado Mining Stocks.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., April 24.—[Special.]—Closing bids:

Acacia	9	Ida May	8
Argentum, Jo	3	Isabella	23½
Alamo	3¼	Last Dollar	47½
Anaconda	16	Lexington	6
Battle Mountain	15	Little Bessie	3¾
Ben Hur	4	Little Puck	5¼
Bob Lee	9	Mary Cashen	3
Butterfly	3	Missouri	2
Calero	15	Mollie Gibson	11
Cresson	2¾	Morning Star	1¼
Coriolanus	2¼	Pharmacist	2
C. Cons	6¾	Pointer	2
Dante	3¾	Portland	182
Doctor J. P	25	Republic	2¼
Elkton	70	Rose Maud	3
El Paso	46	Sedan	2
Findley	9¼	Sunset-Eclipse	1¼
Golden Cycle	61	Vindicator	92
Gold Knob	1¼	Work	6¾
Helen B	6	C. K. & N	6

TONE OF MARKET BETTER

CROP REPORTS CAUSE IMPROVEMENTS IN WALL STREET.

Interest Revived in Granger Roads and They Score Advances—Vanderbilt Issues Display Great Strength—Brooklyn Rapid Transit Goes Up on Rumors of Important Deal—Industrials Active and Many of Them Show Net Gains.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW YORK, April 24.—[Special.]—The dealings in stocks today were on a little larger scale than yesterday, and there was a decided improvement in the tone of the market. Reports regarding the condition and prospects of the winter wheat crop, together with current advices from the West regarding weather conditions, revived interest in the shares of the granger trunk lines, in Union Pacific, Missouri Pacific, and Southern Pacific. None of these stocks was extraordinarily active, but they advanced steadily and enjoyed net gains averaging more than a point.

Another feature of the market was the strength of the Vanderbilt stocks under the lead of New York Central, which closed 2¾ per cent higher than last night. Other members of this group that received attention which resulted in materially higher prices were Canada Southern, C., C., C. and St. L., and Michigan Central. The last named, on the purchase of 750 shares, closed 19½ points above the last previous sale.

There was a shifting of speculation from the anthracite coal stocks, not only to the Vanderbilt group, but also to Brooklyn Rapid Transit, which led the list in respect to activity and to the industrial list, notably the United States Steel stocks. The last named were unusually active, at net gains of 1⅜ points. This movement was, doubtless, in anticipation of the formal announcement of the company tomorrow of the details of the plan for converting $200,000,000 of the preferred stock into 5 per cent mortgage bonds and for raising of $50,000,000 of additional capital by the sale of that amount of bonds of the same issue that is to be authorized to take up the preferred stock.

The persistent buying of Brooklyn Rapid Transit since the beginning of the week, and which became more aggressive today, foreshadows, it is understood, an announcement regarding the affairs of the company which may be made public tomorrow. The nature of this news may be guessed from the simultaneous advance in Long Island railroad stock, which today was unusually active at a net advance of 5 points.

Usually less active railway shares that closed materially higher yesterday were Canadian Pacific, Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville issues, Colorado Southern common, Delaware and Hudson, Detroit Southern common, Illinois Central, New York, New Haven and Hartford, at a further net advance of 5 points; St. Louis and San Francisco, Wabash issues, and Wheeling and Lake Erie issues.

The improvement in the last two doubtless resulted from prospects that the syndicate formed in the interest of the Wabash company will secure the Western Maryland railroad and thus insure the speedy extension of the Wabash system to the Atlantic coast.

The list of industrial stocks that were fairly active is a long one. Colorado Fuel surpassed the United States Steel stocks in respect to activity, and was exceptionally strong. At a considerable reaction from the highest price it retained a net gain of more than 2 points. There was a falling off in the dealings in Tennessee Coal and Iron, and sales to realize profits resulted in a slightly lower price for it.

Sugar Refining was comparatively neglected, but Amalgamated Copper, which sold ex the quarterly dividend of one-half of 1 per cent, was strong throughout, and finished 1⅝ per cent higher than yesterday. People's Gas received more attention than for some time, and other issues that advanced sharply were American Car and Foundry preferred, American Grass Twine, Continental Tobacco preferred, International Power, Pressed Steel Car issues, and Virginia-Carolina Chemical issues. The common stock of the last named company was unusually active at a net advance of 2¼ points.

There was a decided increase in the dealings in bonds, especially in Colorado Fuel convertible 5s, Consolidated Tobacco 4s, Union Pacific convertibles, and Wabash debenture Bs. Investment issues were in excellent demand.

The George A. Fuller Construction company applied to the Stock Exchange today for the listing of $5,000,000 7 per cent preferred stock and $10,000,000 common stock. This is the first time a realty and building corporation has applied for a listing of its stock on the New York Stock Exchange.

The directors of the American Ice company decided to defer action upon the common dividend, explaining that many underlying bonds and mortgages of subsidiary companies have been maturing and many plants erected and purchased.

IN NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

General Tendency of Cash, Bonds, Railroad Stocks, and Other Securities in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, April 24.—The influence of the grain crop prospect upon the stock market was again demonstrated today. After a strong opening prices wavered and commenced to go back, but when the wheat markets opened and revealed an active liquidation there at declining prices stocks promptly began to pick up again. The persistent sagging of the price of wheat was accompanied by growing and broadening strength in stocks, with the notable demand centered on the grain carrying railroads.

The bond market was quite active and strong. Total sales, par value, $5,815,000.

Close—Money on call steady at 3½@4½ per cent; closing bid and asked, 3½@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 488 for demand and at 485¾@485½ for 60 days; posted rates, 486 and 488½; commercial bills, 484¾@485¾.

Bar silver, 51¾c; Mexican dollars, 41c.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	High.	Low.	—Closing— Ap. 24.	Ap. 23.
Amn. Sugar	18,100	127⅜	126½	126½	126
Amn. Locomotive	17,800	36¾	35⅝	36	36⅝
Do pfd	7,700	99	97¾	98¾	98¼
Amn. Cotton Oil	12,200	52½	50¾	52½	52
Amn. Smelting	21,100	45⅞	44⅝	45¼	44¼
Do pfd	1,100	96¼	95¾	96¼	95¾
Amal. Chem	100	24	24	24	
Amn. Bicycle	900	8½	8	7⅝	7¾
Do pfd	400	26½	25¾	25⅞	26
Am. Grass Twine	3,200	58¾	57¾	58	57
Amn. Snuff	200	102	102	102	102½
Do pfd	300	98½	98½	98½	98½
Amn. Linseed	100	24	24	24	24½
Do pfd	300	56	56	56	56
Am. Car Foundry	3,500	30	29¼	30	29¼
Do pfd	1,900	91	89¾	91	89¾
Amn. Ice	1,900	16⅝	15¾	16⅛	15¾
Do pfd	300	55½	55½	55½	55½
Amn. Woolen	100	14	14	14	
Atchison	42,000	81⅜	79¾	81⅜	80¾
Do pfd	2,400	99	98	98¾	97¾
Anaconda	100	114	114	114	113½
Atl. Coast Line	36,400	97¾	96¼	97¾	96¾
Am. Dist. Tel	4,600	40	35½	39¾	39¾
Am. Tel. & Tel	300	183	181½	183	183
Balt. & Ohio	7,800	109¼	108½	109¼	108½
Do pfd	900	85	84	86	
Bklyn. Un. Gas	1,200	238½	235	238½	235
Chgo. Un. Trac	4,700	22	21	21	20¾
Chi. & Alton	2,400	37¾	37¼	37¼	37¼
C. M. & St. P	25,200	180⅜	167½	169¾	168
Do pfd	100	191½	191½	191½	192½
C. R. I. & P	800	251½	250	251½	249
Do pfd	200	259½	259¾	259¾	260
Canada Southern	3,500	92½	89¾	92	90
C., C., C. & St. L	800	172½	171	172¾	171
Chi. Terminal	600	21½	21	21	21½
Do pfd	600	39	38⅛	38¾	39½
Che. & Ohio	4,000	47¾	47¼	47¾	47¾
Cent. R. R. of N. J.	300	193½	192½	193½	192½
Canadian Pacific	15,400	127¾	125½	127½	124¾
Do rites	100	1	1	1	1
C. C. C. & St. L	5,400	107¾	103⅞	106¾	104¾
Con. Gas, N. Y	33,100	230	225¾	229¾	225¼
Colo. & Southern	5,300	32	30¾	31¾	30¾
1st pfd	300	74½	74½	74	73
2d pfd	300	45¼	44⅜	45½	45½
C. I. & L	16,500	89¾	84	89¾	86¾
Do pfd	1,500	81¾	80¾	81¾	80
Colo. Fuel & Iron	98,500	110¾	107	108¾	106¾
C. & H. C. & I	800	21¾	21	21	20¾
Chi. Gt. Western	1,300	25⅝	25¼	25⅝	25⅜
Do pfd A	100	88½	88½	88½	88
Con. Tobacco pfd	2,600	124	120¾	123¾	120
C. & E.	100	167	167	167	
Corn Products	2,000	34½	33¾	34½	33¾
Do pfd	300	86¾	85	86¾	85
Del. & Hudson	2,100	177¾	171¾	175¾	174
D. & Rio Grande	5,100	44	43	43¾	44
Do pfd	300	92	91½	91½	92
D. M. & Ft. D	1,300	46	45	46	45
Dist. of America	1,700	9¾	8¾	9	8¾
Do pfd	1,000	40¾	40	40½	40
D. S. S. & A	700	17¾	17¼	17¼	17
Do pfd	500	32½	32	32	31¾
Det. So	10,800	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Do pfd	1,800	41	41	41	41
Erie	17,000	40¾	39¾	40¾	39¾
Do 1st pfd	5,000	71	70¾	70¾	70¾
Do 2d pfd	700	58	58¼	58¼	58¼
E. & T. H	400	56½	56¼	56¼	56
Gen. Electric	100	328	328	328	326
Hocking Valley	7,300	96	92	94	93¾
Do 1st pfd	900	91¾	91¼	91	91
Ill. Central	2,300	148¼	147¼	147¾	146¾
Iowa Central	500	46	43½	43½	43¾
Do pfd	700	88¼	87¾	88¾	87
International Paper	1,750	22¼	21⅝	22	22
Do pfd	200	75¾	75¾	75¾	75½
International Power	4,700	138⅝	136	138⅝	135½
Int. Silver pfd	500	60	58	60	57¾
Kan. & Mich	300	42¾	42	42¾	41¾
Kan. City & So	1,200	27	26¾	26¾	26¾
Do pfd	3,400	60½	59½	60¼	59¾
K. & T.	3,600	38¾	36⅝	38½	36½
Do pfd	300	86	86	86	
K. C. Ft. S. & M. pfd	300	82¾	82¾	82½	82¾
Louis. & Nash	6,100	127¼	126¾	126½	126¼
Long Island	14,300	91	84	86¼	85
L. E. & W	200	68¼	68	68	67½
L. S. & M. S	200	338	335	338	
Man. Beach	1,000	19	17	18½	16½
Minn. & St. L	700	113	112¾	113	112¾
Mich Cent	700	179½	168	178½	
M. St. P. & S. S. M. pfd	100	118	118	118	122
Manhattan	13,400	136¼	134⅜	135¾	134¾
M. K. & T	3,600	25⅞	25¼	25⅝	25¾
Do pfd	1,500	56	55¾	55¾	56
Met. St. Ry	1,000	153	153	153	152¾
Missouri Pac	16,200	101¼	99⅝	100⅞	99¾
Mex. National ctfs	7,600	20	19½	19⅝	19½
Do pfd	500	113	112¾	113	
Mex. Central	5,300	20	19½	20	19⅝
N. C. & St. L	1,200	113½	109	108	108
National Biscuit	300	50¼	50¼	50¼	50¼
Do pfd	100	108	108	108	
Norfolk & W	1,900	59¼	58⅝	59	58½
National Lead	100	18	18	18	18½
N. Y. Central	19,500	159¾	157¼	159¾	157
Do rites	27,500	5¾	4¾	5¼	4⅝
North Amn. Co	4,000	131½	128	130¾	127¾
N. Y. Ont. & W	10,500	35	34⅜	35	34¼
N. Y. Air Brake	2,200	194¾	188	192¾	190
N. Y. Chi. & St. L	1,100	53½	52¼	52¾	52
Do 2d pfd	100	88	88	88	
N. Y. N. H. & H	1,400	236	232	235½	230
N. Y. Dock pfd	200	51	51	51	
People's Gas	12,200	105¾	103⅜	104⅜	103¾
Penna. R. R	4,400	151⅝	151¼	151½	151
Do rites	25,300	¾	¾	¾	¾
Pressed Steel Car	5,800	42¾	41¼	42¼	41¼
Do pfd	900	85	84½	85	
P. Marquette pfd	100	83	83	83	
Pa. Mail	200	42¾	42	42	42¾
Rutlands pfd	9,200	124	120¾	121	124
Reading	90,600	67⅞	66⅜	66¼	66¾
Do 1st pfd	10,400	87	86½	86⅝	86
Do 2d pfd	13,800	72¾	72¼	72½	72¾
Rubber Goods	900	24	24	24	23⅝
Rep. Iron & Steel	17,300	20	19¼	19⅞	19¾
Do pfd	4,700	75¾	74⅝	75¾	74½
Ry. Steel Spring	100	26½	26½	26½	26¾
Do pfd	400	87½	86½	87½	87
Southern Ry	9,700	36⅞	36¼	36⅞	36⅝
Do pfd	300	95¾	95¾	95¾	96

ACCEPT RAISE IN RATES

INSURANCE MEN FIND THEIR PATRONS ARE APPRECIATIVE.

Contest Over Apartment-House Ratings Involves Question Whether Transfer to Ordinary Class Can Be Made Without Amendment of Constitution — New Schedule Proposed Penalizing Over 2,500 Square Feet and Height Above Four Stories.

Insurance men reported yesterday that the rate advance was being well received, most of their customers appreciating the situation of the companies. For all that many had requests to issue policies and date them back, but careful provision had been made against this.

Interest is now centered in the contest over apartment house rates. Notice has been given that a constitutional amendment would be proposed transferring them from the preferred to the ordinary class. One prominent manager said yesterday that no amendment was necessary for him to put them in the prohibited class, and a number of companies are known to have done that.

For the ordinary class 10 per cent less commissions are paid, so that the expenses to the companies would be less. Then it is proposed to increase rates by a new apartment house schedule penalizing area over 2,500 square feet, height above three or four stories, variations in the construction from the building ordinance, the presence of restaurants, etc.

Quite an element is opposed to this, however. It holds that the companies that have the bulk of the apartment house business have got it by paying excess commissions, and they do not propose to help them out of their predicament. They are not strong enough to prevent action in the present temper of the companies, many of which wanted the advance to be much more sweeping.

Inspect Department Store Bridges.

Several months ago complaints were made that the bridges connecting sections of department stores were being filled with inflammable goods, and the inspectors were ordered to have this corrected. Some firms have not complied, and the board has ordered a charge of 50 cents for bridges across alleys where proper cut-offs are not provided or merchandise is allowed to accumulate.

The Scandinavian Mutual Aid association has decided, after a hot fight, to reinsure in a new company, to be organized by the association, and to continue the present assessment system with increased rates for the future and liens to make up for the deficiencies in the past.

Colonel Henry L. Turner has been elected a director of the Ætna Indemnity company of Hartford, whose control changed hands last week. All the other directors are New York and Hartford men. The stock is to be increased from $250,000 to $1,000,000.

Minor Insurance Matters.

The Ohio department has refused to admit the Michigan Millers because it is on both the stock and mutual basis.

The National Union Fire has been admitted to Iowa, with H. M. Huff, the Illinois special agent, in charge of the field.

B. T. Duffey, special agent of the Royal in Michigan, has had Ohio added to his field, and becomes supervising State agent for the two States. S. S. Post, an examiner in the Chicago department offices, has been made Michigan special agent.

Harry O. Phillips, who represented the Hanover in Indiana, has been made State agent for Indiana and Michigan.

The Ohio Inspection Bureau has sent out an advanced rate schedule, excepting twenty-seven towns from it because of the application of approved schedules.

George Essig, a broker with Fred S. James & Co., will become a member of the local agency firm of Naghten & Co.

UNIQUE DEED TO REALTY AT LA SALLE AND ADAMS STREET.

Mrs. Amelia Schloesser Conveys an Interest to Her Daughter, but Retains Possessions and Leasing Rights.

A unique deed involving the Schloesser property at the northwest corner of Adams and La Salle streets was recorded yesterday. For a nominal consideration Mrs. Amalia Schloesser conveyed to her daughter, Ida L. Thomsen und von Coldity, an undivided one-tenth interest.

The grantor, however, reserves possession of the property and all the rent therefrom during her natural life, also the right to lease the premises for 198 years, or any less term, without the cooperation or consent of the grantee. The significance of the deed is said to rest in the fact that it is a preliminary to legal proceedings involving the property.

Revenue stamps attached to the instrument give a value of $42,500 to the interest conveyed. The 1899 valuation of the property was $858,325 and last year the valuation was $940,070. The property has a frontage of seventy-five feet and a depth of 128 feet and is improved with a five-story stone and brick building.

A trust deed for $2,225,000 was recorded yesterday. It was executed by the Electric Vehicle company, a corporation of New Jersey, to the Morton Trust company as trustee, and was given to secure an issue of 2,250 bonds of $1,000 each, drawing 6 per cent interest and maturing Nov. 1, 1903. They are to refund an outstanding issue of $1,675,000 of 6 per cent bonds and for other purposes. The deed is secured by the old Siemens-Halske Electric company's plant at Sixteenth street and South Fifty-second avenue.

Charles Woodward has sold to Emma J. Weaver the apartment house property on Leland avenue, 84 feet west of Paulina street, south front, 63x91 feet, for $25,000, subject to an incumbrance of $15,000.

IN JAIL TOO PROUD TO ASK AID.

John W. Robinson of Marshall, Ill., Finally Discovered by His Friends in Terre Haute Prison.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 24.—[Special.]—John W. Robinson, a contractor of Marshall, Ill., spent a week on the rock pile at the Terre Haute jail because his pride would not permit him to let friends know his whereabouts. He was sentenced for drunkenness.

This morning a son-in-law accidentally learned of his father-in-law's predicament and hurried from Marshall to procure his release, as Mrs. Robinson was thought to be dying. She has been an invalid for some months, and yesterday was stricken with paralysis.

The family and friends of Robinson have been looking for him everywhere, and his absence made his wife's condition worse.

Ye Housekeeper's Corner.

Hot water and soda will remove stains from the hands.

To make your light brilliant rub the lamp chimneys after washing with dry salt.

Huck toweling, embroidered brightly in the darning stitch, makes original table scarfs.

Bathe a sprain with arnica diluted with water and bandage with soft flannel moistened with the same.

To take ink out of linen, dip the ink spot in pure melted tallow; then wash out the tallow and the ink will come with it.

By rubbing with a flannel dipped in whiting the brown discoloration may be taken off cups that have been used for baking.

Do not steam or dry all the natural oil from the face, for the skin burns twice as quickly and the wrinkles prematurely appear.

If black underwear, stockings, or black yarn that is to be knitted is boiled a few minutes in milk the dye will not stain the skin.

The days of sunburn will soon make us forget the wind burn of genial April. Borated talcum and a veil that veils literally will be found helpful.

Each week the shops show some new features for the housekeeper in the way of Japanese and Smyrna rugs. The prices are not high by any means. Japanese rugs come in strong, clear colorings in green, red, and blue. Jute rugs are worth examining for summer use.

Housekeepers, if they can, should take a slight rest before meals. Indigestion more often arises from eating when tired or excited than is understood. Five minutes' complete rest of mind as well as body is none too much for the person of average health, and it should be taken regularly.

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Superior and Circuit Court Judgments.

Judge Gary—205690—Susie J Henning vs. Ill. Cent. R. R. Co.; on findg., $50; satisfied.—211053—Martin W. Carr vs. W. H. Buchanan & Co.; on ver., $94.16.

Judge Brentano—208748—Mary E. Banks vs. Libby, McNeill & Libby; mo. n. t. overrid and judt., $7,000.

Judge Chetlain—220162—C. H. Kleinbeck vs. Jesse C. Wheaton and Aaron Bodenweiser; by defit., $121.81.—220163—Arthur A. Stillwell vs. Jesse C. Wheaton and Aaron Bodenweiser; by defit., $782.—11728—Joseph Parkonski vs. Swift & Co.; on ver., $200; satisfied.—192785—Howard Copeland vs. Hiram Peabody; on findg., $250; satisfied.—221810—Harry Amster vs. Charles W. Tegtmeyer; on ver., $110; satisfied.

Judge Stein—5067—Benjamin Heilprin vs. C. & N. S. S. Ry. Co.; on ver., $175; satisfied.

Judge Tuthill—220563—William B. Harvey vs. Ernest St. John— by defit., $332.87.—226177—South Chicago and Calumet Lumber Co. vs. Peter Hill; by defit., $274.08.

Judge Horton—220331—John F. Higgins vs. Emil C. Schafer; by defit., $322.—21136—Manhattan Electrical Supply Co. vs. Harry May; by defit., $260.19.

Judge Burke—220079—James Pittaway Co. vs. Michael McGann; by defit., $600.—226427—Henry B. Mason vs. Proctor P. Cooley; by defit., scl. fa. judt. of Feb. 7, 1893, for $55 revived.

Judge Clifford—15035—Boston Oyster House Co. vs. Monarch Refrigerating Co.; on findg., $90; satisfied.

Decrees.

Judge Holdom—3752—Keller vs. Keller; dec. div.—3122—Hammond vs. Clay; dec.—287—Borgolse vs. Loedige; dec.—3506—Spurney vs. Spurney; dec. div.—3062—Loose vs. Loose; dec. div.

Judge Chytraus—1703—Herzog vs. Herzog; dec. div.—3709—Jana vs. Jana; dec. div.—192767—Furring vs. Springer; def. dec.—2907—Erickson vs. Erickson; dec. div.

Judge Stein—1239—Tice vs. Tice; dec.

Judge Horton—9172—Green vs. Hart; dec.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

7531—Charles M. Butler; lia., $328.70; assets, $50; S. W. King, atty.

7532—Mifflin W. Marsh; lia., $402.50; C. R. Nappier, atty.

7533—Isaac J. Weil; lia., $4,227.11; assets, $104; J. A. Irrmann, atty.

7534—Petn. of Wabash Cabinet Co. et al., to have Paul E. Berger declared bankrupt; claims, $14,000; C. H. Soelke, atty.

7535—Flora L. Rorbach; lia., $199.70; assets, $100; Derby & Rothschild, attys.

7536—Lizzie Walber; lia., $1,210.70; assets, $396; H. A. Wambold, atty.

7537—Peter W. Buckhart; lia., $1,095.80; assets, $358.75; L. W. Carpenter, atty.

7538—John M. Stewart; lia., $799; assets, $265; Charles H. Soelke, atty.

7539—Adolph S. Lowenthal; lia., $16,605.66; assets, $25; George W. Plumer, atty.

7540—Sven Jakeson; lia., $15,041.85; assets, $13,557.38; Nels J. Johnson, atty.

7541—Anna Fink; lia., $230.45; assets, $105; U. G. Hayden, atty.

Court Calls for Today.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge Goodwin—Trial call [law], 4656, 13117, 7015, 7288, 7338, 4629. On trial, 13853.

Judge Tuley—On hearing, 3627.

Judge Haney—Trial call [law], 11601, 18662, 17356, 18311, 8902, 1064.

Judge Tuthill—Juvenile Court.

Judge Horton—Trial call [chancery], 10802, 10365, 10926, 11125.

Judge Neely—No court.

Judge Clifford—On trial, 999.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Holdom—On hearing, 2620.

Judge Brentano—Trial call [law], 1306, 6102, 4611, 3395, 4796, 4802, 4803, 4818, 5129, 5132, 5133, 5135, 5137, 5138.

Judge Hutchinson—Trial call [law], 5082, 4233, 4335, 4336, 2862¾, 1257, 4398, 5168, 5169, 3656, 1982, 1958, 5217, 4548.

Judge Chetlain—Trial call [law], 2721, 3832, 2199, 3529, 18514, 4146, 399, 2971, 4281, 4282, 4283, 4284, 4285, 4287, 4352, 4355, 4859. On trial, 2974.

Judge Chytraus—Trial call [chancery], 3062, 746, 176905, 4003, 291, 147, 3511. On hearing, 1252.

Judge Gary—Trial call [law], 3724, 5401, 6616, 6619, 6620, 6622, 6623, 6626, 6627, 6628, 6103, 5744, 6630. On trial, 6629.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge Hodson—All undisposed cases on city special assessment calendar 89, except 26291.

Judge Carter—Motions of course and legal objections in city special 26270.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge Baker—Branch No. 1—Call not extended.

Judge Dunne—Branch No. 4—2858, 2852, 2864, 2829, 2830, 1838, 3829, 2099, 3090.

Judge Smith—Branch No. 5—715, 2828, 2784, 3143, 3304, 3305, 2785, 2786, 3114.

Judge Kavanagh—Branch No. 6—Call not extended.

Judge Willis—Trial call not extended. Set case. On trial, 118154.

Judge Burke—Trial call, 17478, 17546, 17557, 9513. On trial, 16888.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—10:30 a. m., estates of Franz Muller, Edward McGrahan, Effie Val Pettyman, Patrick Hogan; 2:15 p. m., Frank Patterson, Ellen Lorden, Walter E. Emmons, Bronislaw Paulinski, James Ansbro.

FEDERAL COURT.

Judge Kohlsaat—United States District Court—Motions and in re American Water company.

Judge Kohlsaat—United States Circuit Court—Set cases, 26112, 26239, 25045.

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—[Special.]—Supreme Court of the United States, Thursday, April 24, 1902:

Present: The Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Harlan, Mr. Justice Brewer, Mr. Justice Brown, Mr. Justice Shiras, Mrs. Justice White, Mr. Justice Peckham, Mr. Justice McKenna.

234—The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. The City of New York; argument concluded by Mr. Thomas Emery for the plaintiffs in error.

236—Stephen Otis et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. E. A. Parker; argued by Mr. John G. Johnson for the plaintiffs in error and submitted by Mr. John H. Miller for the defendant in error.

180—The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, trustee, petitioner, vs. The Penn Plate Glass Company et al.; argument commenced by Mr. Herbert B. Turner for the petitioner, continued by Mr. Louis Marshall for the respondents, and by Mr. John G. Johnson for the petitioner.

Adjourned until tomorrow at 12 o'clock. The day call for Friday, April 25, will be as follows: 180, 191, 237, 243, 246, 247, 249, 250, 252, and 253.

GOV. DAVIS DENIES CHARGES.

Arkansas Executive Accused by Church Members Promises to Expose Hypocrites When Trial Comes.

Little Rock, Ark., April 24.—[Special.]—Governor Jefferson Davis denies into the charges brought against him by the Second Baptist Church of this city, of which he is a member.

In a telegram to a local paper today the Governor said:

"Whoever said I was drunk or gambled is an infamous liar. I am ready for trial at any and all times and defy the traitors and hypocrites to do their worst. When a trial occurs I will then prefer in writing specific charges against some of the biggest hypocrites and members ostensibly in the highest standing in the church. My only offense is that I lent my humble assistance in defeating their idol, James K. Jones, who is now a political corpse."

The clerk of the Second Baptist Church today laid before the Special committee a copy of the charges, in which Governor Davis is accused of drunkenness at five different times, which are specified, of treating negroes, of frequenting gambling houses at Hot Springs and losing large sums of money, and, in general, of violating the principles of the denomination.

KENOSHA COMES TO AID OF ROAD

City Council Promises to Give Franchise for Its Part of Milwaukee-Chicago Line.

Kenosha, Wis., April 24.—[Special.]—The City of Kenosha will not stand in the way of the completion of the interurban line between Milwaukee and Chicago, and, although the Wisconsin Supreme Court has declared the franchise of the Kenosha Street railway null and void, it is claimed that cars will be running in Kenosha by the middle of July.

The company announced this afternoon that it would at once ask the City Council for a new franchise, and a majority of the members of the Council assured the railway company that the franchise will be granted.

B. J. Arnold of Chicago, President of the railway company, will meet the City Council here tomorrow, and at that meeting an agreement will be made by which Mr. Arnold will be allowed to proceed with his work, with the assurance that his grant will be made good.

CATCH ALLEGED LETTER THIEF.

Occupants of Apartment Building Cause Arrest of William G. Oatman, Accusing Him of Theft.

William G. Oatman, who says he lives at 546 Forty-sixth place, was arrested yesterday by Captain Hayes of the Woodlawn Police Station. According to several occupants of an apartment building at Forty-seventh street and Calumet avenue, Oatman has been robbing the private letter boxes in the building. When arrested two letters addressed to Dr. F. Fuller and Dr. R. A. Noble, at 4701 Calumet avenue, were found in his possession. Among those that said they would prosecute Oatman are Dr. Ross A. Vedder, Dr. Homan L. Craft, Dr. F. Fuller, and Dr. R. A. Noble. Inspector James E. Stuart of the Postoffice was notified, and the man will be prosecuted by the government authorities.

$33.00 to California, Oregon, and Washington. Chicago and Northwestern Ry. daily during April. Personally conducted excursions Tuesdays and Thursdays. Special attention to organizing family parties. $30.00 Helena, Butte, Ogden, Salt Lake. Illustrated pamphlet on receipt of two-cent stamp. Address B. A. Hutchinson, 212 Clark street.

BRITON LAUDS THE CITY

CONSUL ENLIGHTENS HIS COUNTRYMEN ON CHICAGO.

Declares in His Annual Report That There Is No Room Here for the Aged or Lazy—Englishmen Judged by the Failures Sent Here to Try Again—Likes the "Drummer" and the Young American—Document Delayed in Transit.

The shipwrecked annual report of Consul William Wyndham has reached the London office, and all Britain is now informed of the virtues of Chicago. While the report deals with the fourteen States in the district presided over by Captain Wyndham, it lays particular stress upon conditions in Chicago as the typical American city, where all lines of industry are to be found represented, and where the American, professional man or craftsman, is to be seen at his best.

Consul Wyndham makes no recommendations of business opportunities here, caustically criticising his countrymen for their lack of appreciation of his last year's report. At that time he stated that there was an excellent opening in Chicago for the development of the herring trade. Only one inquiry was received during the year, and this came from Ireland, which sent a special representative to inquire into prevailing conditions. The indifference of the English merchant to the opportunities here, Mr. Wyndham said, is further emphasized by his failure to inform the consular representative of the name of his agents and where they are to be found.

Consul Praises the Traveling Men.

The Consul compliments the young men of Chicago, praises the traveling men of the country, declares the merchants are indefatigable, the workingmen independent, and the skilled mechanic invincible. Referring to the plan of the French to establish a scientific school here and in Pittsburg, the report ventures the opinion that disappointment awaits the founders because the young men educated here will prefer to remain in America to returning to their native land and endeavoring to reform the methods of their fathers.

The report has nothing but kind words for Chicago.

"The commercial success of Chicago is partly owing to the education, which teaches the boys independence and knowledge of their future responsibilities," said Consul Wyndham, "and does not set up prowess in athletics as the highest point to be attained, although every encouragement is given to playing games of all kinds at schools and universities. Americans are as fond of outdoor life, shooting, fishing, and games, as men of any other country, but it is used only as a relaxation and is entirely put out of their minds when working.

"Another cause of success is the keeping of the money which has been made and the brains which have made the business in it as long as possible."

No Place for Old Men Here.

The report holds that Chicago is no place for old men or men even who are over 45 years of age, who are out of work. Mr. Wyndham insists that, especially in clerical work, the fact that these men are out of employment places them under suspicion and employers are chary of giving them anything to do. He finds, however, that there always is an opening for young men with energy.

"A reason for the number of young men employed in Chicago," says Mr. Wyndham, "is that nearly all the great business houses are only a few years old, have grown rapidly, and the increased number of clerks has been made up by boys taking the lower places.

"No man, however, can get on in Chicago who works with one eye on the clock, or grudgingly; and the man who is rewarded by promotion has shown himself willing to do his work well and thoroughly, and in many cases to help in other departments when necessary. In this way he acquires a comprehensive knowledge of the work required.

Machinery Proves a Blessing.

The report commends the traveling salesman as "a large man, who inspires people when he enters their stores, with genial and cheerful manners, ready to make friends with every one, and possessed of a marvelous memory." While there have been strikes, Mr. Wyndham says, they have not amounted to much, as the workmen seem loath to give up remunerative employment. The output of the machines has not been limited, and everywhere machinery has proved a blessing.

"It is the incentive to work," says the report, "and the energetic example of the managers, superintendents, and foremen which has a wonderful effect upon the output of every kind of trade and business in Chicago."

Mr. Wyndham states that there is no opening here for unskilled labor, and he warns all immigrants not having a good trade against coming to this country. The only opening the Consul has been able to discover, he said, is for farmers with some capital, but they must be prepared to do the most of the work themselves.

Consider the Englishmen Lazy.

Chicago, he declares, is no place for a lazy man, and the American people have grown to judge of Englishmen by the shiftless specimens who have made failures in their own country and have been sent to the United States by their relatives. Speaking of this the Consul says:

"It has been so impressed on the people of Chicago that an Englishman is dense and lazy that no one is willing to employ one of whom he knows nothing. Unfortunately this impression is corroborated by many who have not grasped the fact that there is a necessity for hard work.

"The aim in life of the majority of Europeans is to have enough money to retire upon at as early age as possible and live as country gentlemen. And most boys are brought up at home and at school with a certain contempt for all trade, while in America a man who has no occupation has no standing, and a farmer is looked upon as lower in the social scale than the keeper of a general store in a small town."

The report of Consul Wyndham was forwarded several months ago, but was delayed at sea by the mishap of the Etruria.

MORGAN TELLS OF RARE BOOK.

Nephew of J. P. Morgan, Who Brought Home Unique Manuscript Bible, Says It Was Bought in Italy.

Princeton, N. J., April 24.—Junius S. Morgan, who brought from Europe the jewel-incrusted manuscript Bible of the eighth century which is now in the New York custom-house awaiting government appraisal, said today that the existence of the Bible has been known since 1903 and that it is of extraordinary value.

He refused to give a further account of it, except that it was obtained from a monastery in Italy, but said he had a pamphlet which gives a full history of the book, and this he will give out for publication later on. He added that the book belongs to his uncle, J. P. Morgan, and that he was not able to give its destination.

Junius Morgan is assistant librarian of Princeton University and resides here.

YEAR'S VACATION FOR DRAPER.

President of State University Is Voted a Long Vacation as Result of His Accident.

President A. S. Draper of the University of Illinois was given a year's leave of absence with full pay by the university trustees at the Auditorium Annex yesterday. The vote for the privilege followed the expression of sympathy by the trustees for President Draper, who recently lost his leg as the result of a runaway accident.

The meeting of the trustees was called to pass on the certificates of students of the school of pharmacy, who were graduated at the Grand Opera-House yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Turner Carriel, whose term as trustee expires next fall, announced that she is a candidate for renomination on the Republican ticket.

LAKE SHIPPING NEWS.

Freights and Charters.

Nothing was doing in grain freights today, owing to the tugmen's strike and the light demand for tonnage.

CLEVELAND, O.—Charters—Ore—Fay, Adriatic, Marquette to Ohio ports, 65 cents; Pasadena, Duluth to Ohio, 75.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Charters—Maryland, Manitowoc, 40; Eleanor, Green Bay, 40; Manistique, Houghton, 35. The Erie canal opened today for the season and 22 boats cleared with grain cargoes.

Port of Chicago.

Arrived—Lumber, ties, etc.—Ford River, Resumption, Ford River; A. R. Colborn, Pine Lake; G. C. Markham, Muskegon; John Otis, Menominee; H. B. Pereue, Arcadia, C. Rietz, A. L. Potter, Manistee; Francis Hinton, Garth; Pine Lake, Frankfort. Merchandise—Alaska, Erie; Boston, Buffalo. Salt—E. Buckley, Manistee.

Cleared—Merchandise—Alaska, Erie. Grain—Samoa, Collingwood. Light—Ida, Mackinaw; H. S. Pecker, Escanaba; F. Mercur, North Tonawanda; Ford River, Ford River; Wonder, Muskegon; A. R. Colborn, Marinette; E. Buckley, Manistee; Columbia, Duluth; G. C. Markham, Muskegon.

Vessel Movements.

CONNEAUT, O.—Arrived—Bielman.

SHEBOYGAN, Wis.—Arrived—Rhodes.

MARQUETTE, Mich.—Cleared—Wolvin, Cleveland.

PORT COLBORNE, Ont.—Up—Frost, Prince, Minnedosa.

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Arrived—Baldwin, Butman, Carpenter.

LUDINGTON, Mich.—Cleared—Scoville, Weaver, lumber, Chicago.

PORT ARTHUR, Ont. — Arrived — Alberta. Cleared—Monarch, Sarnia.

HARBOR BEACH, Mich.—Sheltered—Ishpeming, Hall, Noyes, Atlantic.

MANITOWOC, Wis.—Arrived—Rust, Cuba, Neff, Mary Mitchell, Curtis, Holland.

TWO HARBORS, Minn.—Cleared—Nasmyth, Maia, Neptune, Carnegie, Wilkinson.

SOUTH CHICAGO.—Cleared—Egan, grain, Buffalo; Gilbert, Escanaba; Morse, Duluth.

STURGEON BAY, Wis.—Up—Welcome, 9 Wednesday night; Dahlia, 10; Soper, 1:30 p. m.

LORAIN, O.—Cleared—Coal—Roumania, Duluth. Light—Pontiac, Saunders, Hart, Osborne, Duluth.

CLEVELAND, O.—Arrived—Stephenson, Ionia, Quito. Cleared—Coal—Athens, Milwaukee. Light—George Peavey, Duluth.

ASHTABULA, O.—Arrived—Castalia, Murphy, Sauber. Cleared—Coal—Merrimac, Superior. Light—Angeline, Ashland.

ASHLAND, Wis.—Cleared—Maricopa, Fritz, ore, Chicago; Nestor, lumber, North Tonawanda; Oregon, Foster, lumber, Chicago.

ESCANABA, Mich.—Arrived—Edwards, Golden Age, Schlesinger, Mabel Wilson. Cleared—Emory Owen, Selwyn Eddy, Vance, Erie ports.

TOLEDO, O.—Arrived—Appomattox, Santiago, Ravenscraig, Page, Curry. Cleared—Coal—Stone, Lake, Iroquois, Manitou, Manitowoc; Martin, Spademan, Rawson, Boo.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Arrived—Kearsarge, Leafield, Barr. Cleared—Coal—Maryland, Manitowoc. Light—Kearsarge, Chicago; Yuma, Wade, Frick, Duluth; Gettysburg, Grand Marais.

DULUTH-SUPERIOR — Departed — Walter Scranton, Two Harbors, light; Case, Buffalo, grain; Shenandoah, W. Brown, Lake Erie, ore; Schoolcraft, Shrigley, Rourke, Shawnee, Lake Erie, lumber.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich.—Up—Houghton, 10:30 last night; United Empire, Fairlamb, 1 a. m.; Reynolds, 2; Sevona, 5; Wawatam, 7; Joliet, Bermuda, Pasadena, 9; Colgate (whaleback), Hanna, 10:30; Northern Queen, Italia, Amazon, Street, Godfrey, Mariposa, Mary Elphicke, noon; Lindsay, Colonel, 2 p. m.; Algonquin, Kaliyuga, 2:30; Eber Ward, Cadillac, Yakima, Blanchard, Kelley, Business, 3:30; Nicaragua, America (passenger), 4:30; Schuylkill, 6; Sheldon, Negaunee, 8:30; Major, 9. Down—Chicago, 3:30 a. m.; Yale, 8; Monkshaven, 9; Fayette Brown, City of Genoa, 11; Wells, 2:30 p. m.; Plankinton, 6:30; Manola, Corliss, McWilliams, 8.

MACKINAW CITY, Mich.—Up—Grecian, 9:20 last night; Lucy Neff, 1:40 a. m.; Selwyn Eddy, 3; Fiske, 5; Conneaut, 6:30; Harris, 7:30; Morley, 7:30; John Eddy and consort, 8:10; Runnells and consort, 11:30; Lansing, noon; Conemaugh, 2:30; John Moore, 3; Cort and consort, 3:30. Down—Hurlbut and consort, 1:20 a. m.; Wissahickon, 1:40; Roman and two whalebacks, 2; Castle Rhodes, 5; Yakima, 6:20; Clyde, Amboy, 7:30; Robert Mills, 8:10; Cherokee, Chippewa, 9:30; Folsom and consort, 10:40; Manchester, 11:30; Butters, 3 p. m.; Livingstone, 4; Syracuse, 4:10; Starke, 6:30. Departed—Ellen Williams, Butcher Boy. Wind northwest, eight miles; clear.

DETROIT, Mich.—Up—Mohawk, 9:10 last night; Choctaw, 9:30; Black Rock, Fitzgerald, 10; S. C. Hall, 10:20; Milwaukee, 10:30; Rockefeller, 11; Niplgon, barge, Fleetwood, Moravia, 12:40 a. m.; Pathfinder, 1:15; Miami, barge, 1:30; Birchhead, Burton, 2; Shaw, 3; Elwood, whaleback, 4:30; H. Ketchum, 4:40; Penobscot, 5:20; Tampa, Aurora, 6:30; Wolf, 7:15; Gov. Smith, 9; St. Paul, 10:15; Maunaloa, whaleback, 10:30; Linn, Manor, 11:10; Adventure, Onoko, 12:20 p. m.; Alfred Mitchell, 1:40; Stone, 2:20; Lincoln, Robinson, Zenith City, 3; Whitaker, Heffelfinger, 3:40; Susquehanna, 4:15; Watt, whaleback, Thomas Palmer, Iroquois, 5; Arabian, 6; Stafford, Mo-Williams, 8:20; Harvey Brown, 8:40. Down—Siemens, whaleback, 10:40 last night; Madden, barges, 1:40 a. m.; Griffin, 2; John Spry, 3:20; Kennebec, 4; Paris, 5:30; McVittie, 7:30; Lycoming, 8:10; Scranton, 9:15; Cambria, Martha, 10; tug Owen, Montana, Montguagon, 10:10; Oceanica, whaleback, 10:30; Gates, 10:50; Captain Wilson, 11:30; Frontenac, John Owen, Saranac, 12:30 p. m.; Andaste, 3:50; Champion, Senator, 5:30; Lockwood, Spindler, Maize, 8; Argo, barges, 6:20; Flagg, Warriner, 7; Canisteo, barges, Palliki, Matanzas, 8; Tuttle, Canton, Planet, 8:20.

CAR SERVICE REPORT MADE.

American Railway Association Prepares to Take Letter Ballot on Daily Charge Plan.

New York, April 24.—[Special.]—The American Railway association continued today at the Waldorf its consideration of the report of the Committee on Car Service. It was decided to recommend a daily charge for the use of freight cars.

The recommendation will go to the various railroads for a letter ballot. The change, if the ballot is favorable, will go into effect on July 1.

Detroit was selected for the October meeting of the association.

These officers and Executive committee were selected for the ensuing year: President, A. W. Sullivan, Illinois Central, re-elected; Executive committee, J. M. Barr of the Seaboard Air Line and Rollin M. Wilbur of the Lehigh Valley, reëlected.

NEWS OF THE RAILWAYS

WESTERN IMMIGRANT BUREAU TO BE INVESTIGATED.

Decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission to Begin Hearings in New York on May 2 Causes Great Excitement Among General Passenger Agents of the Roads Affected—Association Considered Illegal, as It Is in the Nature of a Pool.

Western General Passenger Agents were greatly excited yesterday when informed that the Interstate Commerce Commissioners would begin an investigation of the immigrant business on May 2 at New York. The notice came to Chairman MacLeod of the Western Passenger association, and requested him to appear at the hearing. He communicated the announcement to the passenger agents.

Chairman MacLeod also laid before the Executive committee of the Western Passenger association telegrams from F. A. Wadleigh, manager of the Western immigrant bureau in New York, and from Commissioner Farmer saying they had also been subpœnaed to testify in the matter. It also was learned that the General Passenger Agents of the Eastern trunk lines, most of whom had been subpœnaed, had to tell all they knew regarding the matter.

Chairman MacLeod will be accompanied to New York by the General Passenger Agents of some of the principal roads members of the bureau, and several Western railroad attorneys will be present.

Bureau Considered Illegal.

The immigrant bureau, or clearing-house, with headquarters in New York, always has been held to be illegal. It is in the nature of a pool, the immigrants arriving in New York and destined to points in the West being divided among the various roads west of Chicago and St. Louis.

The roads parties to the agreement, each being guaranteed 10 per cent of the business, are the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, Chicago and Alton, Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, Missouri Pacific, Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé, Chicago and Northwestern, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, Wabash, Union Pacific, and Illinois Central.

The bureau was organized in 1890 and has served a good purpose. Prior to its formation immigrants were pounced upon after arrival at Castle Garden by unscrupulous so-called immigrant steamship agents and deprived of nearly all they possessed. To stop the practices of these sharks the Western roads pooled the business and employed agents in New York to see the immigrants safe on their way.

Denial of Lake Shore Rumor.

General Manager P. S. Blodgett of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railway, who was in the city yesterday, said the report that the general offices of the company were to be moved to Chicago on the completion of the new Van Buren street depot was news to him. "There is no truth in the story," he said, "as I would know about it if such a move was contemplated. Besides, the charter of the road provides that the company's general offices must be located in Ohio. The only foundation for the report was that the officers of the Rock Island and Lake Shore are figuring to put two or four more stories on the new depot."

The architects, Frost & Granger, have not decided whether it is possible to add four more stories without having to change the orders already given for the structural iron for the building.

Committee on Rate Divisions.

The Executive committee of the Western Passenger association has authorized the chairman to appoint a committee of five, including the rate clerk of the association, to anaylze such propositions pertaining to rates and divisions as may from time to time be deputed to them, and submit recommendations. This is practically the same arrangement as has been in force in the trunk lines and Central Passenger associations, and has helped to facilitate the business of the meetings of the general passenger agents.

Likely to Restore Rates.

Representatives of the St. Paul-Chicago lines and of the Soo line met at St. Paul yesterday and practically agreed to the proposition recently made by the Soo line to restore passenger rates from St. Paul to New York to the old basis in effect four or five years ago. The old basis was $31.50 for standard lines and $29.50 for differential lines.

Moves Into "Tribune" Block.

The officers of the Central Passenger association, which have been located for a number of years in the Monadnock Building, will be moved into THE TRIBUNE'S new building tomorrow. Nearly the entire ninth floor will be occupied, a force of about 100 employés being necessary to do the work of the association. The Central Passenger association, under the guidance of Commissioner F. C. Donald, has become the most important passenger association in the country.

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